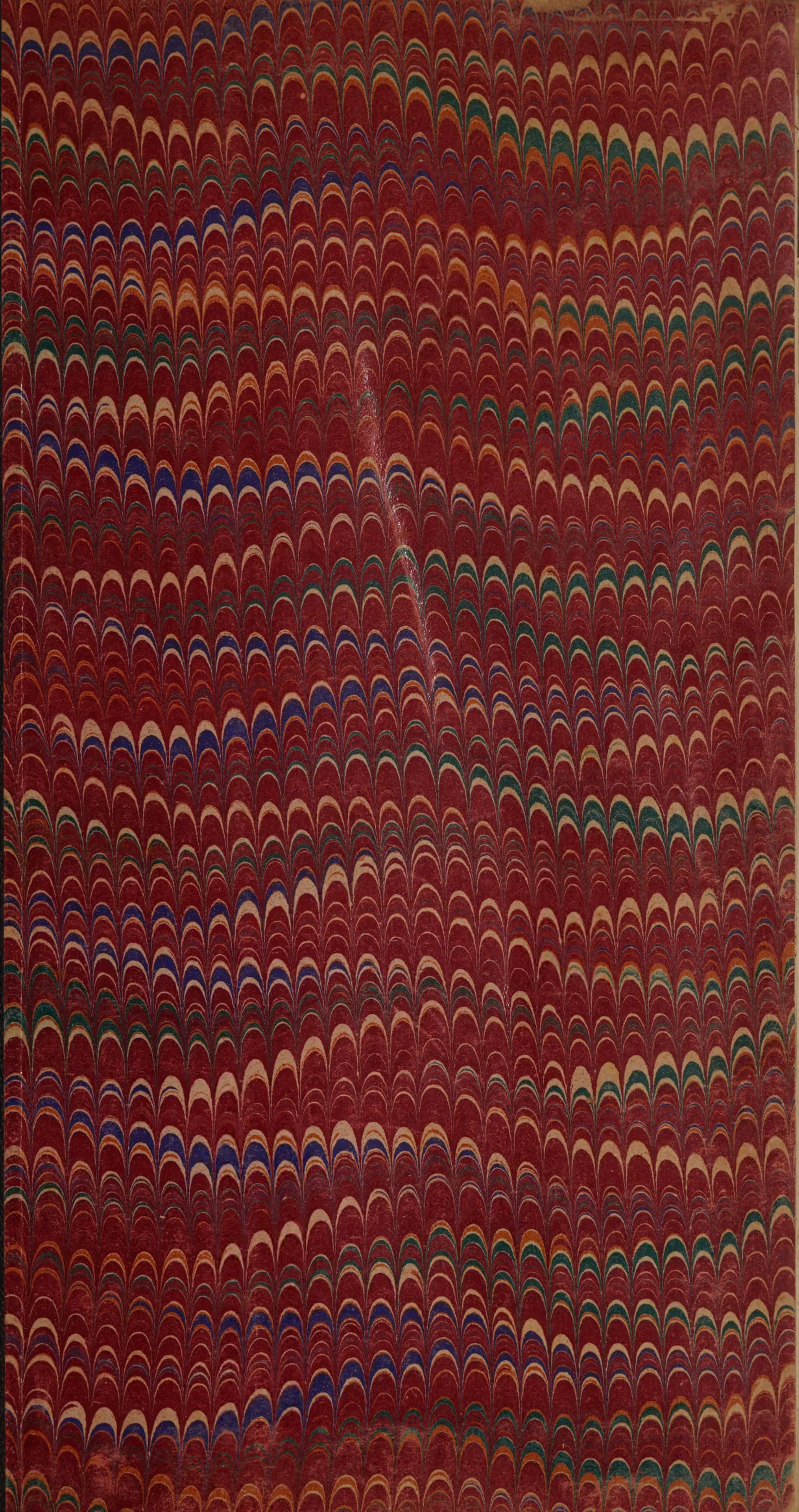

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Colrain Mass. Oct. 11th 188[illegible]

Agreeable to an invitation from the resident members of Co. "B" 52d Regt. M.V.M. a goodly number of the members responded and perfected an organization.

The meeting was called to order by 1st Sergt. A. A. Smith who then stated the object of the gathering and a permanent organization was perfected with the following Officers.

President – Capt. A. P. Nelson
Vice Pres. Lieut. S. B. Rice and Sergt. J. H. Brown
Secy & Treas. A. A. Smith

Executive Committee

Simeon Root of Leyden Mass.
George Adams " Charlemont "
C. B. Dennison " Colrain "
Henry Temple " Heath "
Warden Tower " Monroe "

It was voted that we meet on the 11th of October each year for our reunions, at such place as the Ex Com. may designate, and that the Secy notify all the surviving members of the Co. of the place of meeting. A collection was taken and the sum of $1.25 was passed over to the Treasurer for the necessary expenses of purchasing a book &c. There were present at this meeting 18 members of the Co. After some time spent in social intercourse the "Boys" voted that they had started a grand organization.

Attest Arthur A. Smith Secy

Annual Meeting [illegible]
Oct. 11th 18[illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in the [illegible] of [illegible]

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Dr. To cash recd at [illegible] [illegible]
Cr. By Cards & Stationery $1.15
Bal. in Treasury $1.35

The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year.
Pres. Capt. A. P. Wilson
Vice Pres. Lieut. S. B. Rice & J. F. Brown
Sec & Treas. A. A. Smith
Ex. Committee
C. B. Dennison of Colrain Mass
E. A. Leavitt " Charlemont "
A. M. Temple " Heath "
[illegible] Reed " Leyden "
A. J. Hawks " Rowe "
W. [illegible] Tower " Monroe "

Voted that the Pres. and Vice Pres. be members ex officio of the Ex Comt.

Voted that the [illegible] of our holding our meeting [illegible] Aug. 27th

Voted that the members of the Ex Comt. from each town [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

at the [illegible] meeting of the Co.
Voted that a committee of three be appointed by the Pres. to draft a code of By-laws for the government of the organization & report at the next meeting. The Pres. appointed: A. A. Smith, [illegible] and [illegible] as that Com'ty.

Voted: That the Secy be instructed to procure a suitable book in which shall be recorded the doings of the organization.

The usual collection was taken and the sum of $17.37 was passed to the Treas. making in his hands the sum of $38.12.

There being no further business the business part of the meeting terminated and all present had their pictures taken in a group, 24 in all. After fully enjoying the company of each other for several hours the family parted amid joys & sorrows, looking and wishing that all might enjoy the return of many such reunions.

Attest Arthur A. Smith Secy

Colrain Mass. Aug. 27th 1890

Agreeable to the following invitation the members of Company "B" to the number of (35) thirty five with their families and friends met for their Annual Reunion.

"Attention Co. "B"

The Captain desires the attendance of every living member of his late command who can possibly come, at the Annual gathering of the Company, which takes place August 27th 1890, at this beautiful home on the banks of North River. All come, with your families and friends. Everything will be furnished for your comfort and happiness. It is expected that a photographer will be present.

Per Order. [illegible] Smith Secy."

The meeting was called to order by the President and the report of the Secy and Treasurer was read and approved.
The Committee to draft a Code of By Laws for the government of this organization then made a report and submitted the following which was adopted by the members present. Viz;

By Laws governing the organization known as
Company B 52nd Regiment M.V.M.

Art. I This organization shall be known as Company B 52nd Regt. M.V.M.

Art. II The Officers of said organization shall consist of a President, two Vice Presidents, Chaplain, Secy & Treas and an Executive Committee consisting of one from each town from which said Company was recruited, said officers to be chosen at the annual reunion and continue in such office until their successors are chosen.

Art. III The duty of the Pres. shall be to preside at the meetings of the organization, and in his absence same duty shall be exercised by the Vice President present.

Art. IV The duty of the Secretary shall be, to keep an accurate record of all meetings of the organization and enter the same in a book provided for the same, to notify all members of time and place of all meetings of the Company and to perform all clerical work for the Organization and its Committees.

Art. V The duty of the Treasurer shall be, to keep the funds of the organization and render an account of the same at the annual meeting of the Company.

Art-VI The duty of the Executive Committee shall be to fix upon time and place of holding the annual reunion. Also to give a minute statement at the annual meetings, of the whereabouts and condition of each member of the Company who is [illegible] their [illegible] care.

Art: VII The funds necessary to defray the expenses of the organization, shall be raised by voluntary Contributions.

Art: VIII These By Laws may be amended by a majority vote of the members present at any meeting of the organization.

A. A. Smith } Committee
L. B. Rice } on
J F. Brown } By Laws.

It was then voted that we elect the officers for the ensuing year by nomination, and the following were elected.

Pres. Capt. A. P. Nelson, Vice Pres. L. B. Rice & J. F. Brown
Chaplain. Rev. J. B. Minor. Sec'y Treas. A. A. Smith

Executive Committee

Colrain.	Henry A Howard
Charlemont	L. B. Rice
Leyden	U. T. Darling
Rowe	J. G. Brown
Heath	Charles Hamilton
Monroe:	J. B. Minor

The report of the committee to procure a record book was made and the same was adopted. Then came the speeches from the members and friends. George Davenport of [illegible] was present and made one of his characteristic speeches, followed by Col. [illegible] Merriman of [illegible] Robertson of New York city. A. K. Robertson of [illegible] Vermont & Rev. J. B. Warner the newly elected Chaplain of the organization. [illegible] music [illegible] of A. F. [illegible] [illegible] the "Banner of [illegible]" with great effect. and when Mrs. Martha Hannah Smith daughter of our Capt. recited the "[illegible]" many a tear was seen to start unbidden from the eyes of the battle scarred veterans present. The Captain entertained the "boys" & friends right royally, and all pronounced the affair one long to be remembered! It was the sentiment of those present that hereafter the gathering should take the form of a "basket picnic". The Chaplain pronounced the benediction befitting the occasion and then one by one of the happy faces [illegible] their way homeward. And so the third meeting of the organization passed into history.

A. A. Smith Sec.

The following is the financial condition of the organization.

		Dr
To	Bal on hand at last report	.72
"	Contributions at last meeting	$10.62
	Total	$11,34
		Cr.
By	Postal cards & stamps	$ 2.00
	Bal in hands of Treas.	$9,34

Respectfully Submitted
A. A. Smith Treas.

Colrain Mass. Sept: 10th 1891

In response to the following notice sent to every living member of Co "B"; Thirty-six members with their friends assembled for the fourth Annual Reunion of the Co. viz:

"Attention Company B."
"The annual Reunion of the surviving "
"Members of the Co. will be held at the "
"home of A A Smith in Colrain, Mass. "
"Sept: 10th 1891. All come and bring your "
"friends with you. It will take the form "
"of a "Basket Picnic". Tea and Coffee furnished."
" Per Order of Executive Committee "
" A A Smith Secy"

The meeting was called to order by the Pres. and the Roll call showed that "all were present or accounted for"

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain Rev. J.B. Miner.

The Secy's report of last meeting was then read and approved, also the Treasr's report of the Financial condition of organization was read and approved.

It was voted that the officers for the year ensuing be chosen by nomination. The following named comrades were nominated and elected.

Pres.	Capt.	A. P. Nelson
1st Vice "	Lieut.	L. B. Rice
2d "	Sergt.	J. F. Brown
Chap.	Rev.	J. B. Miner
Secy + Treasr	1st Sergt	A. A. Smith

Executive Comt.

Colrain	H. A. Howard
Charlemont	L. B. Rice
Leyden	W. T. Darling
Rowe	J. F. Brown
Munroe	W. F. Turner
Heath	Chas. H. Hamilton

In accordance with Art. VI of our by laws the following members of the Exec. Comt. made a report for their respective towns

L B Rice for Charlemont –

J F Brown – for Rowe

W. T. Darling for Leyden and J. B. Moore for Monroe. Colrain & Heath did not have a report. A vote of thanks was extended to those who made reports, for it was considered that these reports are to be the most important of any part of the exercises. Comrade S. B. Moore (Color Sergt) invited the Company to hold the Reunion of 1892 with him at his home in "Elm Grove" Colrain at such time as he might designate in the month of August. Comrade Moore's invitation was accepted the Executive Committee concurring. The business part of the meeting was concluded and an adjournment for dinner was carried. The beautiful feature of the occasion was that all sat down to dinner with their friends together exchanging "Lunch Baskets" and relating reminiscences of army life. After the dinner was disposed of, the people were called together at the grove, and the literary entertainment commenced. The Pres. Capt. A. P. Nelson welcomed the friends and members of his Command, whom he complimented in highest terms for their patriotism and loyalty while in the service. Rev. E. M. Frary followed with some well chosen remarks complimentary to the "Boys who fought for my Country". Mrs. Allie J. T. Brigham then spoke on the subject of Reunions as only she can, closing with a beautiful Poem for the occasion entitled "Company B". Comrade Erasmus Maxwell of the 46th Mass. Regt. spoke not only of his own service but also the record of his Ancestor Lieut. [illegible] Maxwell" who was Commissioned by John Hancock dated "Boston this first day of January

Anno Domᵒ 1777". He was wounded at the battle of Bunker Hill and his brother Thompson Maxwell was one of the disguised Indians, who threw the Tea into Boston Harbor. The Secy read two letters written to the Govᵒ and Council of the Mass Bay Colony, dated at Fort Ticonderoga March 3rd & 4th 1777 and signed Hezekiah Smith. Maj in Command and great grand father of your Secy. J. F. Brown made some remarks, urging all to attend these reunions so long as it is possible so to do.
H L McCloud who is totally blind most of the time gave his experience while in the service. Saml C Severance was called for and spoke in feeling terms of the members of Co "B". Comrade Wm H Severance of Michigan came over eight hundred miles to meet with the Company. M. M. Fiske spoke of the Blockading Squadron of Charlestown in 1863. N. T. Darling urged upon parents the duty of educating their children in the great lessons of Loyalty and Patriotism. Miss Mattie H Smith recited a piece by request entitled "The Baby Peace Maker." Comrade Solon W. Meed of a N.Y. Regt. made some remarks fitting the time & place, and after the Benediction was pronounced by the Chaplain, the boys took leave of each other for a time, hoping to meet again at the next reunion. The day was beautiful, and Mrs Smith had made ample provision for all who might come and join with the Boys who tried to do their duty to their Country, when she was in need.

A. A. Smith Secy.

The following is the financial condition of the organization

	Dr
To bal in Hands of Treasr at last report	$9.34
Contributions at last meeting	0.00
Total	$9.34
	Cr
By Postal Cards	$2.00
Bal in Hands of Treasr	$7.34

A. A. Smith Treasr

Colrain Mass. Aug. 30th 1[illegible]2

[illegible] the second [illegible] [illegible] members of [illegible] Co. "B" [illegible] twenty eight members [illegible] [illegible] friends enjoyed the meeting to the full extent.

Notice. "Co. B. Fall in."

The [illegible] reunion of the [illegible] [illegible] will be held at the home of the Colrain [illegible] L. H. [illegible] at [illegible] Colrain Mass Aug. 30th 1[illegible]2. Please come bring your [illegible] with you and a basket lunch for dinner. Tea & Coffee furnished.

Per order of Executive Committee
A A Smith Sec.

[illegible] Capt. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] elected the officers for the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as follows:

President [illegible]
Capt. [illegible]
[illegible] L. H. Rice
[illegible]
Secy A A Smith
[illegible] [illegible] Temple

It was voted to [illegible] members of the Executive committee [illegible] new Committee. L. H. [illegible] for [illegible] [illegible] for [illegible] [illegible] members [illegible] Executive Comt. [illegible]

Executive Committee

Leyden Samuel [illegible]
Colrain Capt. [illegible] Dickinson
Charlemont [illegible] Rice
Rowe Edmund [illegible]
Monroe [illegible] Dwer
Heath Charles Hamilton,

The question of adopting a Company Badge was freely discussed by the members present [illegible] the question was [illegible] [illegible] accept the invitation of [illegible] of Leyden to meet at his home for the next reunion, and [illegible] the next year at his spacious mansion. It was voted to adjourn for dinner and [illegible] the [illegible]. After all had partaken of the [illegible], they [illegible] all together for the [illegible] further, Music [illegible] and many [illegible] the time [illegible] pleasantly, the thanks of all [illegible] to Mrs. [illegible] for her [illegible] on their occasion, [illegible] [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Leyden [illegible] much to the [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible]. All [illegible] as well as [illegible] at the hour of parting. The Color Sergeant [illegible] his [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the meeting a very enjoyable one, and thus ended the fifth Annual Reunion of '73.

A. A. Smith Secy.

Treasurer's Report
The following is the financial condition of the organization

	Dr
To [illegible]	$7.34
Contributions at last meeting	0.00
Total Receipts	$7.34
	Cr.
By Postal Cards	$2.00
Bal. in hands of Treas.	$5.34

A. A. Smith Treasurer

Leyden, Mass., Aug. 30, '93.

Agreable to the following call many of the members of the Co. with their families and friends met at the picturesque home of the Drummer Boy of the Co., Simon S. Keet. A most cordial welcome was extended to all and while the flags were waving in the breezes and the long roll sounded it found the hearts of the boys with the old time patriotism. The following is the notice:

Co. B. Reunion.

The surviving members of Co. B. 52nd Reg. M.V.M with their families and friends will hold their annual reunion with Simon S. Keet, Leyden, Mass. on Aug 30th, It will take the form of a basket picnic Tea & Coffee being furnished by Comrade Keet who invites you to assemble the night before and "Taps" will not be sounded.

Per order Executive Committee
A. A. Smith Secy.

The business meeting was called to order by the president and prayer was offered by the Chaplain Amos Temple. The Secy's report of last meeting was read and approved also the Treas. report was read and approved. The Ex. Comitee made report as follows, C. B. Dennison reported for Colrain. No report for Charlemont. Chas. Hamilton reported for Heath. No report for Rowe. No report for Monroe. W. T. Darling reported for Leyden in the absence of the Ex. Com. S. C. Severance. The several reports on motion of J. P. Robertson were read and placed on file. It was voted to elect the officers for the ensuing year by nomination and A. S. Nelson was elected Pres. E. B. Rice 1st V. P. J. F. Brown 2nd V. P. Secy & Treas A. A. Smith. Chaplain Amos Temple. Ex Com. Colrain, H. N. Thompson. Charlemont E. B. Rice. Rowe J. F. Brown Heath Charles Hamilton. Monroe N. F. Tower Leyden Simon S. Keet. Letters were read from the following absent members. Alvin Brown Aurora, Ill., James T. Avery South Haven Mich. R. D. Fish Clifton Springs N.Y. and Samuel A. Miner Waterville, Minn. after which we adjourned for dinner which was served in a bowery prepared by the host & hostess. At the roll of the drum the throng reassembled at the stand where the intellectual feast was enjoyed. Rev. Clark spoke for the young people and the sons & daughters of Veterans. He enjoys the honor of being a son of a veteran. He was followed by David Mowry Esq. who was prepared with some remarks appropriate to the occasion. Rev. Clark & wife pleased all with a beautiful duett "Only remembered". Then came the irrepressible Geo. Davenport who introduced himself as the real clown of the occassion. Miss Daisy Cronack Miss Severance and Miss Lottie Neel recited several beautiful poems which were highly entertaining to the boys.

Treasurers Report—

The following is the financial condition of the organization

Bal. in hands of treasurer at last report	\$5.34
Receipts—	
Total receipts	\$5.34
Expended for Postal Cards	2.00
Bal in hands of treas.	\$3.34

A. A. Smith Treas.

Shelburne Falls Mass
Aug 30. 1894

Agreeable to Call several members of the Company with friends assembled with Corporal Amos Temple at his home in this beautiful village. The weather was damp, but the gathering was pleasant. The meeting was called to order by [illegible] The Roll was called and 25 answered Here. The Chaplain invoked the divine blessing and the report of the Secy and Treasurer was read and accepted and approved

Reports of Executive Committee from Monroe Rowe, Heath, Leyden Charlemont and Colrain were made, Letters were read from absent members and all filed with reports of Executive Comm. It was voted to choose the officers by nomination and Capt. A.P. [illegible] was chosen Pres. 1st Vice Pres L.B. Rice 2nd Vice Pres. J.F. Brown. Secy & Treasurer A.A. Smith chaplain Amos Temple. Executive Com:

Colrain. L.B. Moore
Charlemont L.B. Rice
Monroe W.F. [illegible]
Rowe E.F. Hawks
Heath Henry M. Temple
Leyden Simeon S. Keel

It was voted that a Committee on Resolutions be appointed to serve one year and the following Com. was chosen
A.A. Smith. L.B. Rice & J.F. Brown

It was the unanimous voice of the members of the Company present that a letter of sympathy be sent to our beloved Regimental Chaplain expressive of the feelings the Co. has towards him in health and sickness and the Secy was instructed to prepare such a letter and send [illegible] to the Chaplain. Sergt J.F. Brown invited the Company to meet at his home in Rowe [illegible] next reunion in [illegible] the Business [illegible] & other [illegible] was [illegible] of the [illegible]

Comrade Orsamus Maxwell opened the ball, followed by Rev. Mr. Ashley of Spencer who spoke feelingly and with much interest to those present. Comrade J. F. Brown was called for, and related an incident of the Companies experience while up the "Teche" in La. He also read an interesting letter from Perry L. Stanford, and in the letter it was learned that Samuel Axtell was still alive, but had been reported dead these many years. He lives at George Iowa. Comrade Jones of Easthampton a member of Co. B. 49th Regt was with us, and made some remarks fitting the occasion. The Secy. made a few remarks as did Alonzo Brown of Auburn Ill. Capt. [illegible] gave some interesting incidents of his service. Supt. Hall of the Public Schools to the Comrades as only a Comrade can. After a vote of thanks to Capt. Temple and his good wife for the royal welcome and generous hospitality the meeting adjourned to the call of the Ex Com.

Albert A. A. Smith, Secy.

Report of Treasurer

Bal in hands of Treas. at last report		$3.34
Receipts nothing. Total	$3.34	
Expended for P. Card Stamps	$.2.00	
Balance in hands of Tr.		$1.34

A. A. Smith Treasurer

Rowe Mass. Sept. 5. 1895

At the Call of the Executive Comt. the Co. reunion was held near the spot where 33 years before the Co. with full ranks assembled for drill preparatory for the active service which awaited them in defending "Home and Country". The place was with Sergt J. F. Brown of Rowe Mass. The exercises opened with Prayer by the Chaplain [illegible]. Miss Ella Gleason played an Opening Voluntary. The old vets were then welcomed to the beautiful spot by our host Sergt J. F. Brown. followed by music from a Male Quartette, "The Soldier's Funeral". Next came the business meeting.

The Report of the Sec. & Treasurer was read and approved. The Committee on Resolutions made report, and submitted Resolutions in memory of Comrades Silas H Moore Edmund A Leavitt & Abel C Bliss.

The report was accepted.

The Executive Comt. made report from the several towns, and the same was accepted. It was voted to elect the officers for the year ensuing by nomination. The following are the officers elected.

Pres. Capt. A. P. [illegible]
Vice Pres. Lieut. L. B. Rice & Sergt. J. F. Brown
Sec. & Tr. Arthur A. Smith
Chaplain Amos Temple
Ex. Com. Comrades H. A. [illegible] W. H. Tucker Rowe J. F. Brown Heath Henry [illegible] Charlemont. L. B. Rice [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] A. A. Smith L. B. Rice & J. F. Brown

It was voted that the Sec prepare a telegram expressing the feelings of the Company toward the Chaplain in his present affliction and send the same to [illegible].

The following is the telegram

"Col. H. S. Greenleaf Rochester N.Y.
The members of Co. B in annual reunion assembled extend to you their dear Commander our sympathy in your affliction and unite in the hope for your speedy recovery to health"
Signed A. A. Smith Sec. Co. B Association

A Committee was app'd to take up a collection, and the sum of $9.17 was passed over to the Treasurer; Comrade Geo. E. Warner of South Deerfield invited the Company to meet at his home for the reunion in 1894, and the same was accepted with thanks. This ended the business meeting, after which an hour was spent in listening to song and story, and all passed only too quickly. Mr. F. O. Bruning sang the song "Who's on the Lord's side" followed by "The Record of Co. B" rendered by Miss I. Smead Grand daughter of Corp. Hamilton of Co. B. Splendid sentiments were expressed by Rev. H. Hammond, Comrade Rev. R. L. Fisk, Rev. Mr. Butler a S. of V. E. B. Shearman and Comrade Henry Graves, all interspersed with music of a high order. The very interesting event closed with an original Poem by Edward Smead entitled "The Soldier's Dream", & Benediction by the Co. Chaplain.

Albert A. A. Smith Sec.

Treasurer's Report.

Bal in hands of Treas^r		$1.34
Rec'd by Contributions		$9.17
Total		$10.53
Expenses		
Telegram to Col. Greenleaf	$1.75	
Postal Cards & Stamps	.2.00	
Total		$3.75
Bal in the Treasury		$6.78

A. A. Smith Treas.

South Deerfield Mass. Sept. 10th 1896

Agreeable to the call of the Executive Committee, the Company met in annual reunion at the home of Geo. E. Coates in this place. The weather was propitious and the place just suited for the good time in store for the old veterans and friends. The large company enjoyed themselves in social intercourse, until summoned by the good ladies who had prepared a sumptuous dinner, to which all partook around a long table set in the beautiful grove in the yard in front of the hospitable mansion. After dinner the Pres. called the meeting to order and prayer was offered by the Chaplain. The welcome address was then made by our host in a few well chosen words. The Secy & Treasurer gave report of last meeting, which was approved. The Executive Committee made report from the several towns. Comrade H. A. Howard reported for Colrain, one death having occurred during the past year, that of James T. Avery at South Haven Michigan Jany. 27th 1896 all the other members of the Co. were reported as in their usual condition. The Committee on Resolutions made a report in memory of James T. Avery which was adopted. The following officers were elected for the year ensuing.

Pres. Capt. A. P. Nelson. Vice Presidents L. B. Rice & J. F. Brown
Secy & Treas. A. A. Smith. Chap. Amos Temple
Ex. Com. Colrain. C. B. Denison. Heath Chas. Hamilton.
Rowe. J. F. Brown. Monroe. Wm. Tower. Charlemont
L. B. Rice. Leyden. S. S. Kent
Com. on Res. A. A. Smith L. B. Rice and J. F. Brown

At the close of the business meeting, the members of the Co. present were ordered into line at the suggestion of the Secy, and performed with old time alacrity many difficult evolutions not laid down in present Military Tactics. The Roll was called and 25 members of the Co. answered Here. The remaining 74 are all accounted for. The speaking which followed was of a high order interspersed with most excellent music from the Sunderland Male Quartette.

especially "The Service of Bunker Hill." Then a Poem written for the gathering by Horace Legate son of Comrade Jr. Legate entitled "Our Country and our Flag" was read by the Secy. The following gentlemen made remarks which were full of patriotism. H.C. Cummings Geo. W. Davenport H.A. Howard J.L. Edwards Col. Boyden. A.A. Jewell Comdr of Myron E. Stowell Post Dept Mass. G.A.R. Chap. Amos Temple A.M. Lyman. L.B. Rice and J.L. Clark. A vote of thanks was given the Quartette for the excellent music rendered. Also to Comrade Coates & his good wife not forgetting [illegible] Jr. Legate and all who did so much to make the occasion one long to be remembered. The Souvenir Cup & plate presented to us your [illegible] at dinner by our host, was gladly received and will be treasured. Lieut L.B. Rice invited the company to meet with him at his home in 1897 for its reunion, and upon vote the same was accepted. After the Benediction was pronounced by the Chaplain, the meeting closed all feeling that they had a most enjoyable time.

Attest Arthur A Smith Secy.

Treasurers Report

Balance in hands of Treasr	$6.78
Recd by contribution	0.00
Total	$6.78
Expenditures	
Postal Cards & Stamps	$2.00
Bal in Hands of Treasr	$4.78

R. A. Smith Treasurer

East Charlemont, Mass Sept 10, 1897

The following business was transacted. The president called the members to-gether at 11 A.M. for the business meeting. Prayer was offered by the Chaplain. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer made reports which were received and approved. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President A.P. Nelson, Vice Pres. L.B. Rice & J.F. Brown, Chaplain Amos Temple Sec'y & Treas. A.A. Smith, Ex Com. Colrain L.B. Moore, Charlemont, Geo. Adams Heath, Henry M. Temple, Rowe Ed. Hawkes, Monroe W.F. Tower, Lyden U.F. Darling

Com't on Resolutions, A.A. Smith L.B. Rice, J.F. Brown. The members of the Ex. Com. made report. C.B. Dennison reported for Colrain J.F. Brown reported for Rowe, no change also for Monroe. L.B. Rice reported for Charlemont & S.S. Keet from Lyden Chas. Hamilton reported for Heath There were no deaths in the company during the year. The following letters were read by the Sec'y one from M.M. Fiske Springfield Mass. which by vote of the Co. was given to the Press for publication, also one from H.M. Peterson from Colrain Tyler P. Thompson from Cayuta N.Y. & S.A. Cistell, George Iowa

It was voted to adjourn for dinner and such a dinner served as it was on a table around which sat all the old veterans and friends old and young. Rev. Dr. Whitney asked Divine Blessing

after which with one accord
they all turned in and did
justice to the most excellent
dinner prepared by our host
assisted by kind friends and
neighbors. After dinner the
members assembled and the
welcome was read by L. B. Rice
our host, in a most hearty
manner. Comrade H. A. Tower
Com^{d} of Post 79 of North Adams
a member of the old 10th Reg^{t}
M.V.M. spoke cheeringly to the
comrades and called upon
the children present to rememb
this gathering and what it
represents. Dr. Whitney of Charlemont
spoke Patriotically and
expressed sentiment that the
character of the survivors of
the great rebellion was muc
better and represented a
higher civilization than thos
of the Revolutionary War.
Comrade H. L. McCloud who is
totally blind gave a history of
the two great political parties
before the War. Comrade Smith
spoke for a few moments congratulating
the members on the
relationship existing between
the veterans and the public
generally. U. T. Darling of Lyden
spoke for the boys and all
they endured. Comrade Rigg
made some remarks followed
by E. P. Smead Sec'y of the Old
Folks Ass'n who paid high
tribute to the members of Co.
B. Corp. Hamilton followed
but the fine speech of the da
was reserved for Frank L. Jud
Esq. nephew of our dear Conrad

Lieut. L. B. Rice which was polished in its delivery and patriotic in sentiment. Upon invitation of Hugh W. Thompson the company voted to hold its Reunion with Thompson and Cromack at such times as they may desire. A hearty vote of thanks was given Lieut. Rice for his unbounded hospitality and after the singing of America & benediction pronounced by Rev. Dr. Whitney the President declared the meeting closed. It was a most enjoyable meeting, enjoyed by all present.

Attest A. A. Smith Sec'y.

Treasurers Report

Bal in hands of Treas.	4.78
Rec'd by Contributions	0.00
Total	$ 4.78

Expenditures

Postal cards & Stamps	2.–
Bal in hands of Treas	2.78
	$ 4.78

I have expended for Postal cards and Stamps for the present Reunion $2.00. Balance on hand the sum of 78¢

A. A. Smith Treas.

Colrain Mass. Shattuckville P.O.

Aug. 26. 1898

The Annual Reunion of Co. B 52d Regiment M.V.M was held this date at the home of Comrade H F Purrington. The weather was fine and the place exhibited an atmosphere of hearty welcome. The business meeting was called to order by the President, and after prayer was offered by the Chaplain the following business was transacted.

The Secy report was read and approved.

The Treasurers report showed a balance in his hands of $5.98

The following officers were elected for the year.

Pres. L. B. Rice. 1st Vice Pres. J. F. Brown 2d Vice Pres. W. T. Darling Secy and Treasr A A Smith. Chaplain Amos Temple Executive Committee for Colrain Hugh W Thompson Charlemont George Adams. Rowe J F Brown Monroe W. F. Towne Heath V. D. Thompson. Leyden W. T. Darling. Resolutions were submitted and approved in memory of Capt. A. P. Nelson. The business meeting closed and after dinner was partaken, a season of literary entertainment was enjoyed by all present. W. T. Darling made some choice remarks which were listened to with interest and closed by calling out M. M. Fisk who told some funny stories which made the old soldiers and others in a happy mood. Rev. C. P. Ketchum gave us a stirring address, followed by many of the members present. Music by Ross D. Purrington "The Old Guard" The Secy was called for and responded with a few remarks and then introduced Mrs. Tuttle of New York City who sang an original composition to the tune "John Brown's body" entitled "Dewey" It was a treat to hear the song and she responded to an encore with another composition of her own. Many anecdotes were told of Army experiences as well as other experiences by Comrade George Davenport, also of his official duties as Overseer of the Poor in the town of Greenfield.

Comrade H. A Howard was called out and after a few remarks, moved a vote of thanks to the Host and Hostess, also to those who furnished Music, especially Mrs. Tuttle for her original Songs. The Hat was passed and $7 24/4 passed to the Treasr for current expenses making a bal. in his hands of $5 98

Upon invitation of Mr. Roswell Robertson of Leyden, the organization voted to meet at his home for its 1899 reunion, without Lunch Basket. After singing America the benediction was pronounced by the Chaplain and a most enjoyable gathering closed.

Attest Arthur A. Smith Secy

West Leyden Mass.
Aug. 31st 1899

The members of Co. B assembled at the home of Roswell Robertson for their 12th Annual reunion. The business meeting was called at 11-30 by our President and the Chaplain offered an earnest prayer. The Secy's report of last meeting was read and approved. The Treasurers report was read and approved.

Treasurer Report.

Bal in hands of Treasurer		$5.98
Expenses for Stamps & P. Cards		$ 2,00
Bal in hands of Treasr	$3 98	

The following officers were elected for the Year. Pres. L. B. Rice, 1st Vice Pres. W. T. Darling 2d Vice Pres. J. F. Brown. Secy & Treasr A. A. Smith.

Executive committee reported, H. W. Thompson for Colrain. He said that the members in Colrain were getting along well and that there had been no deaths in town during the year. W. T. Darling reported for Leyden, and extolled all the members of Leyden. G. W. Adams was not present and no report was recd from the town of Charlemont. V. D. Thompson reported for the town of Heath in writing, and no changes

J. F. Brown of Rowe reported for his town, also for Monroe, no changes all the members doing well. It was voted to extend the time for two weeks in which the Executive Comt. may print a written report and forward the same to the Secy. Comrade James P Robertson at this point, extended congratulations the members of the Co present and friends and invited all to assemble at "Liberty Hall" where a most elaborate dinner was served. After dinner a picture was taken of the 28 members present by Photographer Crosier. The business part of the meeting was concluded by the election of the following as Executive Comt. Colrain. H. W. Thompson Charlemont G. W. Adams. Rowe. J. F. Brown. Monroe W. F. Tower Heath. V. D. Thompson. Lyden N. T. Darling Voted. That the Comt. be instructed to report in writing The following was appointed a Committee on Resolutions A. A. Smith. J. F. Brown. N. T. Darling

Voted that the committee on resolutions be requested to draft resolutions suitable to the memory of the members of the Co. who died prior to the organization of this Association. At the Literary exercises, a welcome address was given by the Host Rev. R. B Robertson. who was heartily cheered by the Comrades present. A response was given by the president. Then followed speaking by many among the number was. George W Davenport of Greenfield. W. W. Davenport who loves and appreciates his native town, and has a high estimate of the Robertson family. Also from Lieut Darling of the 25th Conn. Regt. Remarks were made by the Secy. Letters were read from M M Fisk and R. D Fish, both full of interest to all present. A. R. Robertson was called upon to speak, and related some dreams which he desired not to be put on the records.

Music was rendered by the Robertson family after which Rev. F. M. Pickles gave a stirring and patriotic speech. N. T. Darling moved a vote of thanks to the Robertson family who have so royally entertained the members and friends on this occasion. It was voted with a will. Miss Florence Mosier sang a song

Mr. U.T. Darling spoke and after the exchanging of good wishes by all the meeting closed All had a good time and one by one started for their homes after singing the beautiful song "God be with you till we meet again" by the Robertson family.
Attest Arthur A Smith Secy.

Colrain Mass. Oct. 3rd 1900

The Annual Reunion of Co. "B" 52d Regt. M.V.M was held at Memorial Hall on this date. The business meeting was called to order at 11-30 A.M. and the following business was transacted. The Secy's report was read and approved. The Treasurer reported a bal. on hand of \$3 98 of which amt \$1 60 was paid for Postal Cards for this meeting. leaving a balance in his hands of \$2 38. The Treasurers report was approved. The Executive Committee reported for the members in their respective towns. Hugh W Thompson for Colrain. Reported one death that of Hiram L McCloud who died June 15. 1900. J. F. Brown reported for Rowe and Monroe. V.D. Thompson for Heath. U.T. Darling for Leyden. No report from Charlemont. All the reports made were accepted. The following officers were elected for the year ensuing.
Pres. L.B. Rice. 1st Vice Pres. J.F. Brown. 2d Vice Pres. U.T. Darling. Secy and Treasurer A.A. Smith Chaplain Amos Temple. Executive Comt. for Colrain. C.B. Dennison. Charlemont L.B. Rice Rowe. J.F. Brown. Monroe. W.F. Tower. Heath V.D. Thompson. Leyden U.T. Darling. The Committee on Resolutions made report which was accepted. The business meeting concluded an adjournment was had for dinner furnished in the dining hall by friends and the Ladies of the W.R.C. At 2 P.M. the assembly gathered in the Hall and listened to a literary feast in which the following took part
Rev. Chas M Crooks gave an account of his visit in Europe during the past summer
Squire Benson of Heath spoke of the patriotic deeds of the men who enlisted for the war

Mrs. A.P. Nelson arose and asked the privilege of moving a vote of thanks to Comrade Geo. E Coats for his assistance to the ladies in the scientific work of washing dishes. The motion was stated by the Pres. and carried while Mrs. H.F. Pennington presented Comrade Coates with a beautiful boquet of flowers. Frank H Brown son of Comrade J F Brown spoke of the anxious hours of Mother and Children while Father was in the war. Comrade John Robertson was called for, and related some of his experiences in the war as a member of the Artillery. Comrade Coates spoke for the ladies, thanking them for their expressions of good will for his efforts to assist them, and assured them that he is always ready and willing. Rev. F. M. Pickles just entered the Hall and was immediately Corralled and made a grand speech. Comrades. Rugg. Dennison Stetson Darling and others reminisced on the war, which was of great interest to all present. It was voted a grand meeting and the ladies of the W.R.C. did much to make it a success. Comrade J.F. Brown spoke upon the political outlook and expects that the veterans of the war will prove themselves true to their fighting, and vote right. Comrade W.T. Darling moved a vote of thanks to the ladies for their royal entertainment, and the 13th Annual Reunion of Co. B 52d Regt M.V.M. passed into history

Attest - A.A. Smith Secretary.

[illegible] Mass. Sept. 18th 1901

The [illegible] session of [illegible] 32nd [illegible] was held at Monroe, Mass [illegible]. There were twenty [illegible] members of the [illegible] present [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] met with another. At 1:30 the business meeting was called to order [illegible] the following [illegible] was [illegible] Called to order by the Pres. L. B. Rice Secy. read report of last meeting which was approved. The Pres. made [illegible] of the organization to date and the same [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Buttsville [illegible] 1901. [illegible] for Leyden and J. F. Brown for [illegible] Monroe. No Report from [illegible]. The [illegible] [illegible] The following [illegible] were elected for the [illegible]

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[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] J. F. Brown of Co. B when the recent attempt to assassinate the President of our beloved country Comrade William McKinley. The Committee reported as follows." Colrain Mass. Sept. 10th 1901 Whereas we the members of Co. B 52d Regt M.V.M in reunion assembled Resolve, That in the recent attempt to assassinate the President of the United States — Comrade Wm McKinley — an act of Treason was committed, and should be punished as such.

Resolved: That we as soldiers who fought for the preservation of the Union, desire that laws should be enacted sufficient to protect the life of the executive head, from the cowardly attacks of our countrys enemies.

Resolved: That the sympathy born in Comrades who touched elbows in deadly strife is extended to Comrade McKinley and family in this their hour of pain and anxiety, and that the same be spread upon the records of this association."

Signed.

W. H. Temple
H. M. Howard } Special Comt
J. Frank Brown

The business meeting concluded, a recess was taken for dinner at which all partook, all were seated at the tables which were loaded with the choicest things of the season. Rev. F. M. Pickles offered the blessing, and a merry time of an hour was spent in doing justice to the feast.

At 2 P.M. all gathered in the main Hall and for three hours listened to the exercises which consisted of speaking and the reading of letters from Comrade Tyler P. Thompson of Bluepoint N.Y. who is a member of the Company and Hon. Henry Winn. Major of the Regt both were very interesting. Among those who took part in the speech making and story telling were Geo. H Davenport of Greenfield, W. W. Smith of Aurora Ill, a former citizen of the town Rev. F. M. Pickles. Dr. G. Howard Surgeon in the regular Army

over

Henry M. Howard. Ira S Orr. N. T. Darling
L. B. Moore. J Frank Brown. C B Dennison
H. A Howard and others.
A vote of thanks was extended to the ladies for their royal hospitality and the 14th Annual reunion of "Co. F" passed into History. All agreed that it was a grand time enjoyed by all present. -x-

Arthur A Smith
Secretary

x and all separated voting to meet at this place in 1902 at the call of the Executive Comt, and that the Ladies of the W.R.C. be invited to furnish a dinner.

Colrain Mass. Sept. 5. 1902

The Annual reunion of Co. B. 52nd Regt. M. V. M. was held in Memorial Hall on this date; and was called to order by the 2d Vice President—U. T. Darling at 11 A.M. The Secy's report was read and accepted. The report of the Treasurer showed that there was a deficit of $1.62 in the Treasury. A contribution was taken and the sum of $6.03 was handed to the treasurer. The Executive Committee made report from their respective (Companies) towns.

Colrain.	Hugh W. Thompson
Rowe & Monroe.	J. F. Brown
Leyden	U. T. Darling
Heath	No Report—V. D. Thompson being absent
Ch[illegible]	L. B. Rice

The Reports were accepted and ordered placed on file. It was voted to elect the Officers for the year ensuing by acclamation, and the following is the list.

President,	Lieut. L. B. Rice	of Charlemont
1st Vice Pres,	U. T. Darling	of Leyden
2d " "	J. F. Brown	of Rowe
Secy & Treasurer	A. A. Smith	of Colrain
Chaplain	Amos Temple	" Shelburne

Executive Committee who is also Committee on Resolutions,

Colrain.	C. B. Dennison
Leyden	U. T. Darling
Rowe & Monroe	J. F. Brown
Heath	V. D. Thompson
Charlemont.	L. B. Rice

It was voted to adjourn for dinner until 2 P.M. The dinner was served by the ladies of the W. R. C. in the dining hall, and all the veterans with their [illegible] and friends were comfortably [illegible] [illegible]—not with hard tack, but—[illegible] the choicest of the good things to eat—and all partook as though they relished the same.

At the appointed time—2 P.M.—a large assembly gathered in Memorial Hall for the afternoon's entertainment. The President called to order and welcomed the boys to this annual "Home Coming". In the absence of the Company chaplain, Rev. C. M. Crooks offered prayer—following with a stirring speech. Other [illegible]

[illegible] by [illegible] Rev. W. [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] were finely rendered by Miss Grace
Lanler of Boston. This was followed by letters read
by the Secretary from Col. H. S. Greenleaf. R. D. Fish
E. W. Hall. Alvin Brown. T. P. Thornton. Wm M Olin
Secy. of the Commonwealth. Rev. [illegible] closed the
[illegible]
The Resolutions presented [illegible] in memory
of deceased Soldiers of the Com[illegible], and
[illegible]
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[illegible]
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Colrain Mass. Sept. 3rd 1903

The [illegible]

Memorial Hall this date, and at 11 A.M.

the members [illegible] the Association were

called to order by [illegible]

for the purpose of [illegible] the [illegible]

The [illegible]

The [illegible] Report of last meeting, was read and approved also Treasurers Report showing a balance in his hands of $2.41. The same was approved, and upon vote of the Association the Hat was passed and the sum of $5.10 rec.d and passed to the Treas. The following reports of the Executive Committee were rec.d viz. Colrain C. B. Dennison Charlemont L. B. Rice, Heath V. D. Thompson Rowe Monroe J. F. Brown Leyden U. T. Darling. The reports showed that there had been two deaths during the year, viz. Foster T. Merriam of Paxton Mass who died Oct. 22d 1902, being the first of the five Sergeants of the Company to pass on. Also Albert R. Robertson of Winooski Vt. who died Mar. 1, 1903. The reports were accepted and ordered placed on file. The Committee on Resolutions made partial report. It was voted to proceed to the election of officers for the year ensuing, and the following is the list, viz:

Pres. Lieut. L. B. Rice of Charlemont, 1st Vice President

U. T. Darling of Leyden, 2d Vice President J. F. Brown of Rowe

Chaplain. Amos Temple of Shelburne. Sec. & Treas. A. A. Smith of Colrain

Executive [illegible] Ex Comt. on Resolutions

Colrain. C. B. [illegible]

Charlemont L. B. Rice

Heath V. D. Thompson

Rowe and Monroe J. F. Brown

Leyden U. T. Darling

Upon motion made by Amos Temple, it was voted to procure a frame in which shall be placed all of the Photographs of the members of the Co. it is possible to procure, and the same be hung in Memorial Hall Colrain Mass. Co. Fred W. Merriam and A. A. Smith were appointed a Committee to procure the same, an adjournment was taken for dinner until 2 P.M. which was served by the ladies of the local W.R.C. and was enjoyed by all who partook of the delicacies of the season.

At 2 P.M the afternoons entertainment commenced. The gathering was called to order by 1st Vice President W. F. Darling, who welcomed all present to this gathering after which the Chaplain Amos Temple offered a most fervent prayer The Roll of the Company was called by Sergt Smith and 25 of the 54 living members answered Here. The presiding introduced the speakers very happily, the first being Rev. C M Crooks Div. Chaplain of Mass. S of V who was very interesting as usual, followed by M.M. Fisk who interested the audience in relating what he saw at the Capitol in Hartford Conn. Geo. W Davenport was present and gave one of his Characteristic Speeches, which was received with great applause. Comrade H H Howard was called out and responded. At this point, Miss Grace Lawler of Boston who being present by invitation recited a selection entitled The "Whistling Regiment" which was admired by all present.—

The Secy read letters from Daniel Morey of Leyden Rev. F M Pickles of Lowell Mass, a former pastor of the M.E. church of this town, and Comrades Jas S Orr of Michigan City Ind, and R.D. Fisk of Lyons N.Y. and all were interesting

Rev. E J Deane gave a stirring speech which made even the blood of the old veterans boil with admiration Comrade C. B. Dunning spoke of the time when the boys of Co B enlisted, followed by J F Brown who [illegible] of his services for his Country. A vote of thanks was given the W.R.C. Ladies for the good dinner so well served, and to all who had assisted in making the 16th Annual Reunion of Co. B. such an interesting occasion.

The meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the Executive Comtee

Attest— A A Smith. Secy.

Colrain Mass. Sept. 7th 1904 Memorial Hall
The Annual Reunion of the surviving members
of Company "B" 52d Regiment M.V.M. was
held at this place this date, and there were
17 members of the Company present with their
families and friends. The business meeting was
called to order at 11-30 by the President Lieut
L.B. Rice. The Secy A.A. Smith made report
of last meeting which was recorded. The
Treasurers report was given, showing that all bills
are paid and a balance remaining in his
hands of $5 24 which report was approved. The
Executive Comt made report which showed that
there had been three deaths in our ranks during
the past year, viz. Sergt. J Frank Brown at Rowe
Mass. killed at Zoar by being struck by R.R. train on
Nov. 21st 1903. Edwin J. Wilson died at Grand
Junction Iowa. Lt Henry G. Avery died at Shelburne
Falls Mass. The Comt on Resolutions made
a verbal report and asked for further time
to complete the same which was granted
with the understanding that all members
who have died and not suitably remembered
by resolutions, shall be so remembered by the
Comt & a written report made at the next
Annual Reunion of the Company. It was
voted that a message of sympathy be sent
to the families of those Comrades who have died
since our last reunion by the secretary.
Voted to proceed to the election of Officers for the
year ensuing, The following were elected
Pres. Lieut. L.B. Rice. 1st Vice Pres. W.T. Darling. 2d Vice
Pres. C.B. Dennison Chaplain Amos Temple
Secy & Treas. A.A. Smith Executive Comt Colrain C.B.
Dennison Leyden W.T. Darling Charlemont
L.B. Rice Heath C.D. Thompson Rowe Monroe
R.D. Fisk It was voted to adjourn for dinner
and assemble at 2 P.M. for the conclusion of
the exercises. The dinner was served in the
dining Hall at 12 30 by the Ladies of the
W.R.C. and the few who partook enjoyed it.
At 2 P.M. all assembled in the Hall and
enjoyed the speaking to its full extent. The
Thanks of the [illegible] [illegible]

by Rev. J. C. Graham and William Henry Stone Dedmont who were present and contributed to the entertainment with stirring speeches fitting the occasion. It was voted to meet for the next reunion at the home of comrade Hugh W. Thompson at such time as the Executive Committee may designate. It was a grand reunion and enjoyed by all present though sadness appeared on the countenance of the battle scarred veterans at the thought of ~~the~~ absent ones who have crossed the river, and are awaiting the coming of their Comrades in Arms. Several letters were read from members who could not be present. Many Photos of the members of the company who marched to the "front" forty-two years before were so change in their looks that they could not be readily discerned, yet added much to the interest of the occasion. It was voted "a Grand Reunion.

A. A. Smith Secretary.

Report of Treasurer of Co. "B."

Bal. in hands of Treasurer.	\$ 5.26
Rec^d by Contribution	—
Expended for Postal Cards & Stamps	2.00
Bal in hands of Treas^r –	\$ 3.26

Respectfully submitted
A. A. Smith Treasurer

Report of Treas^r of Co. B. for Year 1905

Bal in hands of Treas^r from last report	\$3.26
Rec^d by Contribution	000
	\$ 3.26
Expended for Correspondence	\$ 2.00
	\$ 1.26

Leaving an unexpended balance in hands of Treas^r for the year 1905 – of \$ 1.26

Respectfully
Submitted
Arthur A Smith
Treas^r

Colraine Mass. "Elm Grove"
Aug. 25th 1905

The Annual reunion of the surviving members of Co. "B" 52d Regiment M.V.M was held at the home of Comrade Hugh W. Thompson who is also Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of the town. There were 17 members of the Company present who with nearly 100 friends sat down to a sumptuous ~~by prepared~~ dinner ~~[illegible]~~ prepared from the Baskets. ~~[illegible] [illegible] pleasantly [illegible]~~.

After lunch was served, the business meeting was call to order by acting Vice Pres. W. T. Darling who presided. The Secy made report of the last meeting held at Memorial Hall in Colrain Mass. on September 1st 1904, and since that time three of the Comrades have passed to the beyond viz; Col. Sergt. Lewis B. Moore. Private Geo. D. [illegible] of Michigan City Ind. and James B. [illegible] at Insane Hospital Northampton Mass. The records were accepted as read, also the Treasurers report which showed a balance in his hands of $3.24. The following officers were chosen for the year ensuing:

Pres. L. B. Rice. 1st Vice Pres. W. T. Darling 2d Vice Pres. C. B. Dennison, Chap. [illegible] Secy. & Treas. Arthur A. Smith, Ex Com. Colrain. C. B. Dennison. Charlemont L. B. Rice. Heath & Rowe, D. D. Thompson. Leyden. W. T. Darling. Munroe W. H. [illegible]. Tyler P. Thompson a Comrade of the Company who met the Company for the first time after an absence of 42 years and made some remarks following the Occasion. W. W. Smith Editor of the [illegible] was present and contributed much to the entertainment by his remarks. All were pleased to hear from Mrs. Helen J. T. Bingham an honorary member of the Association who gave an address upon the subject of "Reflections"

Letters were read from Col. H. S. Greenleaf, W. H. [illegible] G. S. Alton, Geo. E. Roberts, 21st Mass. & [illegible]

Arthur A. D. Smith Secy

The annual reunion of Co B 52nd Regt N. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall, Coleraine on Aug 30 1906. Dinner was served by the W. R. C. at 12 oclock. At 1 oclock the meeting was called to order by the Pres. L. B. Rice. to transact ~~to trans~~ act any business that might come before it. In opening a prayer was made by the Chaplain. Amos Temple.

The Secretarys and Treasurers reports was made and accepted Treasurers report showed a deficit of 24 cents.

Motion by U. T. Darling. seconded by C. B Dennison that a Collection be taken to defray expenses. Collection amounted to $4.80

Ex Committee reported no change in Coleraine. ~~Leyden~~
U. T. Darling reported for Leyden the only surviving members from that town four in number, as present Simon S. Keet died since last meeting.

V. D. Thompson reported for Heath & Rowe. Uncle Abraham Tanner sent his reguards to all.

Charlemont reported E. D. Hawks having moved from Charlemont to Orange

Moved by C. B. Dennison that the report be accepted and Carried.

A. A. Smith moved that a new committee be appointed to procure a frame for Photographs of the Company The following were elected. Chairman Amos Temple Henry A. Howard and James P Robertson

Postal card from Rodolphus Fish. was read

Election of Officers was then taken up and are as follows

President L B Rice
1st Vice Pres. U. T. Darling
2 " " C. B. Dennison
Chap Amos Temple
Sec. & Treasurer A. A. Smith

Ex Committee Hugh W. Thompson Colrain
Samuel C. Severance Leyden
V. D. Thompson. Heath
L. B. Rice Charlemont

Motion by V. D. Thompson that the reunion for 1907 be held in this place. motion carried.

Motion by U. T. Darling that a committee of three be appointed to form Resolutions on the death of Col H S Greenleaf and forwarded to Mrs Greenleaf and placed on these records passed, Ch. named U. T. Darling, K. A. Kowan and James P. Robertson.

The remaining time was spent socially and remarks were listened to from several of the Co.
Mrs Helen T. Brigham an honorary member of the Company by special Effort was able to be present and spoke in her usual delightful manner.
The meeting was a Enjoyable one and closed without form. Arthur A. Smith Sec. Per
Martha A. Donelson

The Eighteenth annual meeting of the survivors of Company B. 52nd Regiment Mass Vols. was held in Memorial Hall on Wednesday Sept 5 1907.

The comrades commenced arriving at an early hour and kept on until the afternoon. until with their friends there were a large number present.

The Comrades commenced swapping lies at an early hour and continued until the the close of the day. Each comrade seeming a fresh supply to draw from

The business meeting was called to order at ~~two~~ two thirty in the afternoon by the President Lieut L. B. Rice. and the following business was transacted. Viz

Election of Officers for the ensuing year with the following result.

President	Lieut. L. B. Rice of Charlemont.
1st Vice President	C. B. Dennison Colerain
2nd Vice "	H. W. Thompson "
Sec + Treas.	H. A. Howard "
Chaplain	Amos Temple of Shelburne Fall

Report of the Ex Committee from Colerain H W Thompson reported three deaths during the year viz Harlow M Peterson Feb 18/07
Sergt Arthur Arthur A Smith Mar 21/07
Joel L Clark Aug. 21/07

Heath Com V. D. Thompson reported no change

Leyden S C Severance had no report.

Charlemont L. B. Rice reported eight living members with one death Corp U. T. Darling during the year.

Election of Executive Comittee for the ensuing year

Colerain	J. W. Carpenter
Leyden	S. C. Severance
Heath	V. D. Thompson
Charlemont	J. M. Legate

The committee on resolutions made a report, which was accepted and com. discharged.

A Comittee to prepare resolutions on the death of Comrades Sergt Loring B. Moore. Musician Simon S Keet. James B. Miner, Ira S Orr. H. M. Peterson Sergt Arthur A Smith Joel L. Clark, Corp A. T. Darling.. the President appointed, Amos Temple Geo. E Coates C B Dennison

The committee on pictures made partial report. and were granted further time

Voted to take up a contribution for paying expenses which realized $4.15

Voted to meet Memorial Hall Coleraine the first Thursday of Sep. ~~1907~~ the annual

Voted that the annual meetings hereafter be held the first Thursday of Sept

Voted to ask the W. R. C. to furnish dinner for the annual meeting in 1908 for 25¢ per plate.

Henry A Howard Sec

Colerain Mass Sept. 3 1908

The 19 annual meeting of Co. B. 52nd Mass Vols. was held in Memorial Coleraine this day with thirty one members present.

The report of the Secretary was read and adopted

The Executive Committee made the following report

Colerain	J. W. Carpenter,	no report
Leyden	S C Severance	no report
Heath	V D Thompson	no change
Monroe	W. F. Tower	not present

Committee on resolutions reported the following Resolution Page 511 which was adopted.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year

President,	C. B. Dennison
1 Vice "	H. W. Thompson
2 " "	James W. Robertson
Chap. "	Amos Temple
Treas "	H. A. Howard
Secretary	H. A. Howard

Executive Committee

Colerain	H. F. Pennington
Heath	V. D. Thompson
Leyden	S. C. Severance
Charlemont	J. M. J. Legate

Resolutions from the Womens Relief Corps received to James P. Robertson read and and filed

Letters from Rodulphus D. Fisk & Warren F. Tower were read and filed

Adjourned until 1.30 oclock P. M. when the following Program was carried out.

Solo by miss Stella Smith

Remarks by Rev Mr. Nichols

Reading by Miss Kay. Massachusetts

Song Ralph Pennington The Old Guard

Remarks by Rev Mr. Caton

Music By Misses Ward of S. Falls.
Remarks by C. A. Smith
A vote of thanks was extended to all who rendered assistance in procuring pictures.

A vote of thanks was tendered to all who rendered assitance in carrying out the days programme

The programme closed with singing America by the Audience

H. A. Howard Clerk

Accepted

Treasurers Report

Cash on hand Sep 3 09	4.96		
Contribution	4.62	$9.58	9.58
Paid for Post cards		1.75	
Telephone messages		20	1.95
			$7.63

H. A. Howard Treas.

Accepted

Colrain Mass Sept. 2nd 1909

The 20th annual reunion of Co. B. 52nd Regt. M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall on this date There were twenty eight members present with their friends
Meeting was called to order by the Pres C. B. Dennison

The report of the secretary was read and adopted
Then came the report by the Executive Committee

Officers elected
Pres C. B. Dennison
Vice Pres H. W. Thompson
2 V. Pres James Robertson
Chap Amos Temple
Sec H. A. Howard
Treas " " "

Ex Committee

J. W. Carpenter	Colrain
J. M. Legate	C Charlemont
James Robertson	Leyden
V. D. Thompson	Heath

Motion to adjourn until 1-30
After partaking of one of the W. R. C. best dinners the afternoon session opened with prayer by the Chaplain Amos Temple. A song by Grace E. Hall Song Miss Stebbins Miss Babb Reading by Miss Bell Remarks by Rev Mr Hooper Song by Miss Babb (encored)
Mr Nichols spoke Song by Miss Stebbins (encored)
Rev Mr Kilmer spoke
meeting closed without form

H. W. Thompson
Secretary

Colrain Mass Sept 1st 1910

The 21st annual reunion of Co. B. 52nd Regt. M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall on this date.

There were twelve members of Co. B. with their friends present

The meeting was called to order by the President C. B. Dennison

On account of the loss of Comrade Howard no report was on hand

Motion by James Robertson that the reading of the Secy & Treas report be dispensed with Secd & carried

Officers elected

Pres	C. B. Dennison
V. Pres	H. W. Thompson
Secy & Treas	" " "
Chaplain	Amos Temple

Sec. V. J. P Robertson

Ex Committee

J. W. Carpenter	Colrain
J. M. Legate	Charlemont
James Robertson	Leyden
V. D. Thompson	Heath

Motion to adjurn to 1-30

A nice dinner was served by the W. R. C.

Afternoon session opened with prayer by the Chaplain Amos Temple

Miss Babb gave a vocal selection which recieved loud applause

Remarks were made by Comrade Zenas Dunton and Chaplain Amos Temple Humorous selection by Miss Susie Dunton Music by Miss Babb and Helen Thompson Remarks by the Pres of the W. R. C. and Mrs Nelson

Comrade Rugg made some remarks

The exercises closed by the singing of America

Mrs Wilson in behalf of the W. R. C. thanked Mr Robertson for his attendance and kindly interest in the W. R. C.

The meeting closed without form

Attest H. W. Thompson Secretary

Colrain Mass Sept 7 - 1911

The 22nd annual reunion of Co. B. 52nd Regt M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall on this date

There were fourteen members present with their friends

The meeting was called to order at 11 a.m by the president C. B. Dennison.

The report of the secretary was read and adopted There was no money in the treasury and so it was thought best to take a colection and Three dollars and fifty one cents recieved

The expenses were for postal cards $1.15 leaving a balance of $2.36

A letter from a daughter of Warren Tower Nellie Tower saying he was in very poor health having been confined to his bed nearly all the time since the 4th day of July last and that his recovery was doubtful he wished to be remembered to all members present and regreted he could not meet with them

There had been two deaths

Hozea F Purrington Nov 20 1910
Charles H. Porter " 15 1910

The same officers were elected for the ensuing year

The meeting closed without form

Colrain Sep. 5. 1912

The 23rd Reunion of Co. B.
52nd Regt. M. V. M. was held
at Memorial Hall on this date
There were twelve members
with their friends present
The forenoon was spent in
a social manner
Dinner was served at 12 oclock
by the W. R. C.
At 1-30 the meeting was
Called to order by the President
C. B. Denison
In opening a prayer was
offered by the Chaplain
Amos Temple
Report by Sec. + treasurer was
then read which was accepted
The expenses which were
for postal card were $1.15 $1.15
leaving $1.21 in the hands
of the treasurer and was aproved
Motion was made and
accepted that the same
officers serve another year
A Committee of three were
elected to write up some
resolutions on the departed
Comrades consisting of James
Carpenter Amos Temple
+ W. Thompson.
This closed the business
meeting.
We then listened to
an appropriate poem by
Mari Donelson
Amos Temple favored
us with a few remarks
Also Geo. E. Coats. Mrs A. P. Nelson
spoke a few kindly words
p
The meeting ajourned
without form

Colrain Sep. 4. - 1913

The 24th Reunion of Co. B. 52nd Regt. M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall on this date

There were twelve members with friends present

Dinner was served at 12 oclock by the W. R. C.

Soon after dinner the business meeting was called to order by the President C. B. Denison

Report by the Secretary and treasurer was then read and accepted

The expenses were for postal cards $1.15 which left only six cents in the treasury so it was thought best to take up a colection and $2.68 were taken

Motion was made and accepted that the same officers serve another year

Pres C. B. Denison
1st Vice " H W. Thompson
2nd " " James P. Robertson
Sect & Treas. H. W. Thompson
Chap. Amos Temple

Ex Committee

J. W. Carpenter Colrain
J. M. Legate Charlemont
James P. Robertson Leyden
V. D. Thompson Heath

Only one death was reported that of Justin W. Rugg of Orange May 3rd - 1913

The business meeting was then closed without form

Rev Mr Hooper in a cheerful manner entertained with a few remarks

Mrs. Gilchrist - Mr King, + Mrs. J. E. Davenport favored us with music which was greatly enjoyed

27 Colrain Sept 3rd 1914

The 25th Annual Reunion of Co B. 52nd Regt M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall on this date

There were seven members with their friends present

The fore noon was spent in a social manner

Dinner was served at 12 oclock by the W. R. C.

At 1-30 the business meeting was opened By the 2nd Vice President James F Robertson

Secretary and treasurers report was read and accepted The expences which were for postal card 1,25 left 1,49 in the hands of the Treasurer and was approved

Officers were then chosen

President Amos Temple
1st V. President James F. Robertson
2nd V. V. D. Thompson
Sec & Treas Mr. H. W. Thompson

Charles Denison was elected honorary President of this organision

Ex Committee
[illegible] Colrain
V. D. Thompson Heath
James F Robertson Leyden

Three deaths were reported
H. W. Thompson Nov 19th 1913
[illegible] Dec 12 - 1913
John Smead Feb 14 - 1914

Meeting closed without form

~~at 1-30~~ The exercises opened with a few well spoken words by Rev Mr Thorn of Leyden

He was followed by Rev Mr Hooper of Charlemont

And Rev Mr Bartlett of Colrain also favored us with a few wo

Mrs Geo E. Coats recited a poem "The Skeleton Soldier"
Mrs Ray Robertson sang a song
Mr + Mrs Hutchens furnished music which was greatly enjoyed
Amos Temple Spoke to us taking for his topic "Friendship".
Mrs Ray Robertson + Miss Florence Cobb favored us with a song. Thus closing another of Co "B."s pleasant reunions.

Colrain September 9th 1915

The 26th Annual reunion of the surviving members of Co. B. 52nd regiment M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass on this date. There were 8 members with their familys + friends present. At 11-30 the meeting was called to order by the president Amos Temple and the following business was transacted

The secretary + treasurers report was then read and approved The expenses which were for postal cards $1.25. left the small sum of 18 cents in the hands of the treasurer.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing

President Amos Temple
1st V. P. V. D. Thompson
2nd V. P. James P. Robertson
Sec + Treas. Clara Thompson

The Ex Committee made report from their respective towns

V. D Thompson Heath No deaths
James Robertson Leyden " "
H. C. Cromack Colrain One death that of J. H. Curtis Aug 7th 1915.

The meeting ajourned until after dinner

At 1-30 The meeting opened with prayer by the chaplain Amos Temple

It was decided to invite Co. E to Join Co. B. another year a committee of 2 were chosen Amos Temple + L. E. Call

As the funds were low a collection was taken and $3.98 was contributed.

A letter was read by the president from comrade Robertson expressing his disapointment not to be with us

Mr + Mrs Doolittle sang a song

Rev Mr Hale Gave a talk which we all listened to with interest

Rev. Mr Bartlett favored us with a few words

Amos Temple gave a little talk taking for his topic Loyalty

The meeting was now closed without form

Attest Clara A. Thompson (Secretary

Colrain Sep 1916

The 27th annual Reunion of Co B. 52nd Regiment M. V. M. was held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass on this date

There were eight members with their families & friends present

At 11 30 the meeting was called to order by the President Amos Temple

Prayer by Rev Mr Hooper of Charlemont

Meeting adjourned until after dinner

The afternoon meeting opened by the President

The secretary's & treasurer's report was read and accepted

The officers were now chosen of the ensuing year

President Amos Temple
1st Vice P. J. P. Robertson
2nd " " V. D. Thompson
Sec & Treas Clara Thompson

As the funds were plenty no collection was taken

One death was reported that of Charles Dennison of Colrain

Mr & Mrs Hutchins played the Vacant Chair

Rev Mr Walker favored us with a few remarks

Mr Hunter from Co. E. was the next speaker

motion was made by Mr Hunter
to invite Ozro Miller Post
to gather with us in 1917

Amos Temple spoke on Friendship

Mr Lorrence of Co. E related a
reminisence of how the pig got into
the cook house

Motion was then made and
seconded to meet at this place
in 1917.

Meeting was then closed
to open in 1917.

Treasurer report after paying
1.25 cents for cards there remains in the
treasury $2.97

Colrain Mass Sep. 6 - 1917

The Annual Reunion of Co. B. 52nd Regt M.V.M. was held at Memorial Hall on this date There were eight members present with their friends The meeting was called to order by the president Amos Temple.

The secretary's report was read and accepted the report of the treasurer showed a balance on hand of $2.22 after paying 75 for postal cards A collection was taken and $3.80 was passed in

Motion was made by Henry Cromack that the same officers serve the coming year

It was accepted

Mr + Mrs Hutchins favored us with music after which a recess was taken for dinner

The afternoon exercises opened by a short address by Rev Mr Walker

After calling on several of the comrades who were not in talking mood Our President gave us a good talk also the annual story.

A letter was read from Mr + Mrs Hooper expressing their regrets for not being able to meet with us at this time

This was followed by music after which a motion was made to adjurn for one year

Mr + Mrs Hutchins gave us America ~~after which~~ And another of our pleasant reunions closed.

4th reunion Co B.

Colrain Mass Sept 5 1918

The 37th annual reunion of Co. B. [illegible] Regt was held at Memorial Hall on this date also the County Quarterly Convention of the W. R. C. There were six members of Co. B. with their friends present

The meeting was called to order by the President [illegible]

The secretary's report was read and accepted. The report of the treasurer showed 4.06 in the Treasury after paying all expenses [illegible] made [illegible]

R. S. Fish U. H. Thompson made the motion [illegible] another [illegible]

The motion was made and accepted

The motion was made to adjourn.

[illegible] meeting

A nice entertainment was furnished by the convention which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Colrain Mass Sep 4th 1919

The 52 annual reunion of Co. B.
52d Regt M. V. M. was held at Memorial
Hall on this date
There were five members present
with their friends
The meeting was called to order
by the President Amos Temple.
The secretarys report was read and acepted
The report of the treasurer showed
a balance on hand of $391 after all
expences the treasurer report was
acepted motion was made that the
same officers serve another year
it was acepted.
The following comrades deaths were
reported
Newton L Brown died in Ohio
Dec 19th 1918
William H. Temple in Waverly Iow
Mar 1919
Otis Clark died Montague Mass
date not given
B. F. Miner died at the Soldiers
home in Togus Maine
date not given
A letter was read from James
P. Robertson expressing his regrets
at not being able to meet with us
on this occasion
This closed the business meeting
Dinner was served by the Ladies
of the W.R.C and the afternoon was
spent in a social way.

The 33rd Annual reunion of Co. B.
52d Regt M. V. M. was held at
Memorial Hall on this date
There were four members
present with their friends
The meeting was called to order
by the president Amos Temple
The secretarys report was read
and accepted
The report of the treasurer showed
a balance 3,71 in hand after paying 20 cents
for post cards. the report was
accepted no collection was taken
a check from James P Robertson
of Ten dollars for expenses was
received of which eight dollars was
ined over to the Tre Motion was made that the
same officers serve another
year it was accepted

Remarks of Hon. [illegible] at the [illegible] reunion of Co. B. [illegible] Regt. at the residence of [illegible] in Lexington.

Nearly thirty years of peace and prosperity since the struggle for the nation's life, in which the men whose reunion we have met to participate in, were engaged, is a convincing testimonial to the great value to our country of our citizen soldiery. Military men are apt to sneer at citizen soldiers. They forget Bennington & Kings mountain, almost pivotal points in the revolution as well as many brilliant conflicts in the great struggle in which the veterans before me were actors.

I do not deem it quite the right thing to do, to exalt to the front rank the deeds of warfare. War is the cruelest, wickedest, most accursed method by which national disputes can be settled. There is nothing about it, not barbarous; and as far as my knowledge of history goes, there were never many wars in which the end to be attained, began to justify the means employed. Most wars have been waged not in the interest of permanent peace or the establishment of right, at least by one party, commonly by both. But it seems to me, that on the part of our Federal soldiers, in the strife for subduing the slave holders rebellion, raised against a majority rule is radically different. You fought to conquer a permanent peace; so though you were using bloody instruments, it was only that the rainbow of peace might appear after the tempest, presaging future fraternity between the belligerents. I thank God the rainbow's promise is redeemed.

In this view of the case, I can but regard it as [illegible] rightly proper that the people occasionally [illegible] the old soldiers of the war to keep green in their hearts the memory of the deeds of these promoters of and peace; to take a sort of retrospect of the past; and see where our boys, as you were called, served, suffered and too many of them perished, that the country might enjoy the peace they conquered.

We have in our grave yards several graduates of the strife. The graduates of Co. B., you left two of them from our town on the banks of the Mississippi and some, I do not know how many, lingered under painful difficulties incurred in the trenches, or long marches under scorching suns, before final graduation. Homesickness was undoubtedly a great item conducing to the mortality of disease of many of our home loving boys. None but the sufferer can know the anguish of real home sickness. If marches can be endured, short rations can be endured, soft, spongy, swampy ground to sleep on with no covering but the curtain of the skies can be endured; you have demonstrated that. Home sickness *never* relents, when other trials are thickest and most severe, its sting is sharpest. No wonder that some of our boys sank under its inflictions. Many times, undoubtedly, a struggle with the foe was a great blessing, relieving their minds of this incubus for a short time. The service of Co. B as I understand it, was mostly in tedious marches and finally in the trenches before Port Hudson. I think people but slightly realise, if at all, the terrible discomforts of a long march, with knapsack and rations and arms and ammunition and blanket, if you had one, strapped to your shoulders, and if allowed to pause for a little rest(?) with nothing but Mississippi mud to lie down upon, and if possible, you would a little while you were obliged, before filling your canteens, to fight away the turtles and lizzards and possibly rattlesnakes and then you took the refuse, a drink to which the broth of MacBeth's witches might be preferred. I can imagine, I think, something of that but the work and danger in the trenches in a regular siege in front of an active and vindictive foe, watching for opportunities to send their messengers of death among you, are beyond my apprehension without experience. All these hardships and dangers you passed through, and are now with us, good citizens, thank God. It seems to you no doubt as it does to me, a dream for it seems as if no one could pass through such experiences only of the imagination, mere vagaries of sleep. But they were terrible realities. Then after coming home, broken in health, as many of you were, we find among us, men shall I say (?), who apply the epithet U. S. pauper, if perchance you have the good fortune to get what all governments acknowledge to be the invalided soldiers right, a pension. (A pension, who would grudge a worthy invalided soldier his pension, should be made to march from New Orleans up the Mississippi with a negro on his back until he would acknowledge his obligation.

I well remember the difficulty of getting recruits from such material as the 52 d, at the time that Regt. was raised. No amount of money was thought too large, to vote to buy substitutes, no matter if it took a whole platoon of good soldiers to keep them in the ranks. Now the danger is passed, "Oh! it don't seem as if there was very much to do, or to fear, I had about as lief gone as not." This is said by that kind of fellow, who, after receiving a benefit at the hands of another, is ready to turn his back to his benefactor and join his enemies if one cent can be saved by his apostasy. You will find them occasionally every where, they would betray a whole community for a nickel. Some of the "stay at homes" talk, as if the entire army, almost, were made up of the riff raff of the country. They judge it by such stuff as their cowardice prompted them to buy substitutes, with hardly a wish that the sub. prove a good soldier. I am speaking only of a certain class when I say their only care was to shirk their duty on to somebody else. Such are the fault finders about pensions. I have no pension and am in no way of ever having one, but God forgive me if I ever lift my voice against a worthy pensioner. Why do Governments adopt the rule of pensioning soldiers? Because the work is so terrible that no nation can possibly think of sending men out on such duty without giving great inducements. It is an acknowledgment that such a duty cannot be cancelled only at the grave. Speaking of the character of our soldiers, some of you remember I was entrusted with the duty of disbursing our Town bounties. One of the boys came to my house to get his money. I paid him $100., now see what he did with it. His old father was with him to give him his parting benediction. This son took $90. of his money and handing it to his father said "here take this you will need it more than I. You have always had a hard struggle to live and support us. $10. will be all I shall need. Take good care of mother. I was deeply moved at this filial affection. That son and father never met again. I have a few extracts from letters from a son which I intended to read but I have not attempt it. They were only samples of epistles falling all over the Loyal States like manna from heaven. This ability to write letters and opportunity so well improved went far in sustaining both the country and our beloved soldier, sons, fathers and brothers. Boys - I know you were not all boys but you were at least 30 years younger than you are now; you have many if not all of you become heads of families of intelligent children ready to take our places as they become vacant. The vacation will soon come, early frosts have changed the color of your locks, it will soon be said there goes another and another and still other veterans of the war, until all shall have sunk beneath the sod moistened with the blood of so many brave men, but you will leave behind you, in the hearts of your countrymen a perennial memory of your patriotism and your descendants will long be proud of their descent. When this country shall have become entirely reconciled to the condition in which the war has placed it, then shall songs of praise for your deeds be sounded by every tongue.

Resolutions in Memory of
James B. Miner

James B. Miner son of W. H. and Sally D. Miner was born in Colrain Jan 18th 1845 Died at the Insane Hospital at Northampton Mass Feb 11-1905 Aged 43 years.

His burial was at West Leyden Cemetery

His early life was spent on the farm with his father when he was not attending the public schools

Soon after the breaking out of the civil war he enlisted into Co. B. 52 Mass Vol. as a nine month man doing good service during his term of enlistment

Upon being discharged he engaged in farming which vocation he followed until 1884 when he became convinced that the uplifting of humanity demanded his attention.

He entered the ministry was located at Monroe Mass Troy Vt and Brewster Mass at which place he was very successful in pointing out the way to erring humanity that leads to eternal life

On account of his health after eight years of untiring service he was obliged to retire from the ministry and as his disability gradualy grew worse he was taken to the Insane Hospital at Northampton in the fall of 1892 where he remained in a declining condition waiting patiently for the change to come when he should join the great majority Feb 11 1905

He was married to Miss
Hannah L. Gates of Leyden
in 1868 and of their union
8 children were born 6 of them
and his widow survive him

Lieut L. B. Rice
C. B. Denison
C. T. Darling
Committee

Resolutions in Memory of
Abel C. Bliss.

Rowe Mass. Sept. 5th 1895

Abel C. Bliss was born in Rowe Oct. 3. 1841
Enlisted in the U.S. service Aug. 29. 1862 for 9 Months
was honorably discharged Aug. 14. 1863.
He died Sept. 6th 1894 Age 52 years 11 mo. & 3 days
He was a Cripple 22 years, unable to work for
several years. He leaves a wife and five
Children, Comrade Bliss was an honorable
upright man and a good soldier, always
ready to do his duty as far as his health would
admit. He never was a strong healthy man
and most of his time after the war was
full of pain and suffering; Therefore

Resolved: That Co. "B" mourns the loss of Comrade Bliss
from its roll of living members and tender
to his afflicted family the sincere sympathy
of Comrades in Arms.

Resolved That a copy of this resolution be sent to
the family of the deceased, and the same
spread upon the records of the Association.

A. A. Smith } Committee
L. B. Rice } on
J. F. Brown } Resolutions

Resolutions in Memory of Edmund H. Leavitt

Rowe Mass. Sept. 5th 1895

E. H. Leavitt died at Grand Junction Colorado Jan. 21. 1895 aged 56 years. Mr. Leavitt was held in high esteem as a citizen in the community in which he lived in the settlement of any public question, his inclinations were toward a peaceful solution if not interfering with his convictions of right and justice, and endeavored to exemplify by a moral and religious life the precepts of a true Christian and as a soldier was ready to give his life to maintain a government of freedom and justice. Therefore

Resolved That we cherish with deep respect the character of our deceased Comrade, remembering the many acts of kindness performed to members of his company while in the service, and the patience and perseverance with which he discharged all of the duties of a Comrade and soldier, and extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family and friends who mourn the loss of a Counsellor and father

Resolved That the foregoing be spread upon the Company records, and a copy of the same be sent to the family of our Comrade deceased.

A. A. Smith } Com.
J. B. Rice } on
J. F. Brown } Resolutions

Resolutions in Memory of Silas H. Moore.

Rowe Mass. Sept. 5th 1895

On the 21st of August 1875. Comrade Moore answered the last Roll call on earth, and joined his Comrades who are waiting on the other shore. Comrade Moore whether on the March or in Battle stood on the "Right of the line" and through all the Campaigning, was never found wanting when able for duty.

Believing it to be highly proper for the Company of which he was a member to express their feelings at the loss from earth of this beloved Comrade

Therefore Resolved: That Co. "B" Mourns the loss of Comrade Silas H Moore. "We shall meet, but we shall miss him" at our reunions and in the home

Resolved That the Comrades who stood shoulder to shoulder with him in the hour of danger, tender to the afflicted family and widow their heartfelt sympathy

Resolved That these resolutions be spread upon the Co. records and a copy of the same be sent to the family of the Comrade deceased.

A. A. Smith
L. B. Rice
J. F. Brown
} Comt. on Resolutions

Resolutions in Memory of
James T. Avery.

South Deerfield Mass. Sept. 10. 1874

During the past year death has come and broken the chain that bound the members of the Company together. James T. Avery a member of the Company died at South Haven Michigan Jany. 27. 1874. In his military life he was loved and esteemed by his Comrades and in civil life he won the respect of a large circle of business and social friends. Therefore

Resolved That we his Comrades in Arms bravely submit to the inevitable and cherish his memory.

solved That the sympathy of the members of the Company be extended to his family, and these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Company.

A. H. Smith } Com. on
L. B. Rice } Resolutions

Resolutions in Memory of
Alonzo Brown of Co. B, 52d regt. M.V

Comrade Brown died at Holyoke, Mass., Nov. 4, 1893 of general debility.

Comrade Brown was a kind father, a devoted husband and a good citizen. Th surviving members of the company will always remember his cheerful ways in camp, on the march or in the bloody conflict never faltering in the line of duty. We therefore delight to make it a matter of record and therefore:

Resolved, that as comrades in arms w cherish his memory as one who brighte ed many a weary march and made merry the camp life of his comrades.

Resolved that we mourn his loss from our ranks on earth and extend to his afflicted wife true soldier sympathy

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the widow of the departed comrade and the same be spread upon the records of the company

A. A. Smith
for the Committe

Resolutions in Memory of Capt. A. P. Nelson, Co. B, 52d regt. M.V.M

On the 6th of Jan. 1898 our beloved Captain answered the last roll call on earth and passed to the beyond. For many years he had suffered from a complication of diseases contracted while in the service of his country as a soldier fighting her battles. Seldom, if ever, a murmer or complaint escaped his lips, and alway a pleasant smile and cheery word greeted his comrades in arms. How well we all remember the command "attention Co. B." resounding in tones that signified his love and admiration for his command. That voice is now hushed in death, yet his memory will ever dwell with the boys, now men, who loved and respected him. It is therefore fitting that we, his comrades in arms should place upon record an expression of our love and esteem of our Capt. while in the army for the Union and our comrade in civil life. Therefore:-

solved That in the death of our Captain, A. P. Nelson we loose from our ranks, our leader in the army, our President of these pleasant reunions, our beloved Captain and friend.

solved That while we mourn his loss by death + his memory will be an inspiration to noble deeds well done:

solved That we his comrades extend to his wife that sympathy born of comradeship welded in the fire of battle and assure her that so far as we can, we would gladly carry the load of sorrow and loneliness resting upon her:

solved That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the wife of our beloved Captain and the same spread upon the records of the company.

A. A. Smith
L. B. Rice } Committee
J. F. Brown

Resolutions in Memory of Corporal Chas. Hamilton, Co. B., 52 regt. M.V.M

On the 30th day of May, 1898, Chas. Hamilton, a corporal in Co. B. 52d regt. died at his home in Heath Mass. Corporal Hamilton was a good soldier and was always on duty providing for his comrades as well as himself. He was a good fighter and most excellent forager and it was always interesting to hear him relate his army experience. As a citizen he was one of the best, always desiring to brighten the pathway of others through life, thus making his own pleasant, but he has gone, in memory he will always be with us. Let us therefore in annual reunion assembled put upon record our estimation of the citizen, soldier and comrade. Therefore:

Resolved, That we mourn the loss, from our ranks of Corporal Hamilton and as we submit to the inevitable, we shall always cherish his many virtues, remembering that in his life was exemplified the true American citizen:

Resolved That we extend to the invalid widow and children of our deceased comrade the sympathy of true comrades.

Resolved That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the widow and the same spread upon the records of the company

A. A. Smith
L. B. Rice
F. J. Brown
} Committee on Resolutions

Resolutions in memory of Hiram L McCloud

June 13th 1900 Hiram L McCloud departed this life and joined the host of Comrades gone before. It is fitting that his surviving Comrades who touched elbows with him on the march and in deadly strife should put upon record their kindly appreciation of a life so full and varied, therefore

Resolved that we his Comrades in Arms cherish his memory, as one who risked all for his Country and when his duty here was ended he was ready and willing to depart.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Association.

Signed { A A Smith
F Bunn
N T Darling } Committee on Resol[illegible]

Resolutions in Memory of Henry M Temple

Henry M Temple died at his home in Heath on [illegible] 1898 after a painful illness of several months duration which he endured with a cheerfulness and fortitude characteristic of his life as a citizen and soldier. His army life was devoted to a prompt and faithful discharge of all of the duties imposed by the discipline of the service and a loyal fellowship with his Comrades. As a citizen he represented the best principles of good government with true devotion to the flag for which he fought.

Resolved that we his Comrades of Co. B ever cherish his memory and grieve that we shall see his face no more at our annual reunions, and that we extend our deep sympathy to his wife and family of our late Comrade.

Resolved that a Copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family of our Comrade and also [illegible] of the Association.

Signed [illegible] } Com on

Resolutions adopted at Reunion of Co. B. held Sept. 5. 19[illegible]
in memory of the following named Soldiers who enlisted
from the town of Leyden in Co. B. 52nd Regt. M.V.M.

1 Lieut. John W Buddington was born in Leyden Dec. 7th 1838 at the old homestead originally owned and built by his grandfather Capt. Jonathan Buddington in the South Central part of the town. Lieut. Buddington received the ordinary public School education, supplemented by several terms at the Wesleyan Academy Wilbraham Mass. Enlisted in the 52nd Regt Mass V.M. in the fall of 1862, He was chosen 2nd Lieutenant and duly commissioned by the Governor of the State in that Capacity, and went with the Company through all its marches and Campaigns until detailed at Port Hudson as acting Adjutant by Col. Greenleaf in place of Adjutant Decker who was in the hospital, Col. Greenleaf is reported to have said that no order was issued when Lieut. Buddington was acting Adjutant, failed to reach its destination promptly and effectually. Returning with the regiment in Aug. 1863, he was mustered out and engaged in farming in Greenfield and then in other business in Brattleboro Vt, until 1869 when failing health induced a trial of change of Climate.

He went to [illegible] Tenn, in the winter of 69 & 70 but receiving no relief returned to the North in [illegible], and after a lingering illness at the old home of his boyhood, he passed on June 1. 18[illegible] to join the ranks of the great majority leaving a widow and one child. He was married in Dec. 1863 to Miss Mary [illegible] of Greenfield Mass, by whom three children were born of which one only remained to grow to manhood. Of genial disposition, he won the confidence of his Comrades and acquaintances, and was distinguished for the faithful performance of his duties as an officer in the short time of [illegible] service which was [illegible] by the Regiment.

[illegible] C. Miller [illegible] born in Leyden [illegible]
[illegible] by [illegible]
enlisted in Co. B in Sept. 1862 and went [illegible]
[illegible] through the Campaign in Western Louisiana
but was sick shortly after the Siege of Port Hudson [illegible]
[illegible] sent home to the Hospital, he lived to return
with the Regiment, but never regained his health
lingering a few months dying Dec. 26. 1863.

[illegible] Shattuck born in Gainsville N.Y. May 4. 1846
Adopted son of Alva P Shattuck of Leyden Mass.
He went with the Regiment in all its Campaigns in
in Louisiana returning in August 1863.
After being mustered out, he carried on the Black-Smith business in West Leyden until smitten with Diphtheria with which disease he died Nov. 10th 1876 at the age of 30 years leaving a Widow and one son.

Resolutions.

Resolved 1st That in the Memorial record of our former Comrades - Lieut. J W Buddington - Privates E. J Shattuck and F. C. Miller, we recognize the ability, patriotism, and good citizenship of our volunteer soldiers to be the surest protection [illegible] against foreign or domestic invasion.

2d That we as a body of Survivors of that period when the Nation called us to its defence recognize the importance of faithfulness to the integrity of the Republic, and devotion to the principles of the fathers in establishing it, and we again pledge ourselves to the same [illegible] maintenance of the same principles as those of our [illegible] Comrades who with us offered their lives for the perpetual establishment of Liberty and equality before the [illegible] [illegible] sheltered beneath the folds of our flag or recognized within our jurisdiction as a Nation.

3d That we hand down to our children as a sacred heritage the records of this Association as a remembrance of the past, with the injunction that they never forget that nations exist for the establishment of justice and equity among their citizens, and that no nation [illegible] as was this Republic [illegible] if it fails to protect its [illegible] membership from injustice or tolerate the establishment of policies inimical to equity on any pretence whatever.

4th That one civil war drenching the nation in the blood of the best and bravest, should be sufficient warning that "nations like men" shall reap what they sow," therefore we stand now as we stood then next our risen Comrades for the preservation of American ideas without mental reservation or modification believing them to be sufficient to meet all emergencies if we and our Children are faithful to our duties as American Citizens.

5th That we as surviving Comrades recognize our duties to be no less now than then, to Jealously guard against the intrusion of ideas and doctrines hostile to Americanism in our civil and political relations, and as we overthrew the dogmas that led to the to the attempt to establish Chattel slavery under the flag as a perpetual institution and preserved the nation, so we propose to deal with any and all efforts to lower the dignity of the Republic in its relations with all under its jurisdiction, giving to each and all the full guarantee of citizenship upon equal terms wherever the flag of the Republic floats as a symbol of United States authority.

Respectfully submitted

Signed.

M. T. Darling } Committee of Resolutions

Contributions to Memory of [illegible] Record of Soldiers who enlisted in Co. B. 52d Regt M. V. M. in the War of the Rebellion to the credit of the town of Rowe.

1 Henry D Thayer was born in [illegible] in 1844 - his parents were Daniel and Flavella Thayer, he enlisted as a private at Munroe August 27 1862, He died of Typhoid fever at Baton Rouge Feb. 5. 1863 without having been in any battles. He was a Soldier much liked by all Comrades - manly and obliging, ready to do for his country when the call came. Let us hope when the last call came, he was ready for the mansions above.

2 Eben Gifford was born in Munroe in 1840. He enlisted at Munroe Aug. 27. 1862 as a private His parents were Rev. Jeremiah and Jane Stafford Gifford. His enlistment took place one day before he was 17 years old in the 52d Regiment Mass Volunteers, He served his time, and when discharged he joined the Sharp Shooters, He was with Banks in his Campaign, But this mere boy hardly out of school was taken prisoner, carried to Libby prison and we all know the horrors of that place - the report is that he was tied to a tree and starved to death in 1864 for not divulging facts of the Union Army. Young Gifford was brave as a Lion with strength far beyond his years - always at his post - when duty called - this sad story is only one of many of the noble youth of our country who died suffering untold torments, in the glorious cause of Liberty.

3 James H Payne was born in Ashfield May 8th 1842 he was the son of Calvin Payne of Rowe, and one of a large family. He enlisted as a private in Rowe Sept. 3. 1862, he did commendable service, took an active part in all the engagements, was a faithful Soldier. After the war he settled in Iowa - Married and became a very successful farmer [illegible] his family not plenty of this world's goods. He died at Correctionville Iowa Feby 29 [illegible]

Nathaniel R. Rice was born in Rowe Aug 20th [illegible]
he enlisted at Greenfield Sept. 3rd 1862 in Company B.
He went to Camp Miller - ever faithful and true to his
duties. When the Co. arrived at Berry's landing, he
had [illegible] [illegible] health, [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Quinine and on the march from Berry's
Landing, he fell down unconscious - he at length [illegible]
but was not able to go on duty - in June he was sent
to the Hospital in Baton Rouge, but was able to join the
Company a few days before leaving for home. He was
a true and faithful friend, and had a character
of sterling worth. His home was at Poplar Bluffs
Missouri where he died soon after his return.
He was the son of Deacon Stebbins Rice of Rowe, and
by profession a Baptist Minister. He was never
married. The immediate cause of his death was a fire
to which he was called out, he took a severe cold, from
which he never recovered.

J. Frank Brown

J. F. Brown was born in Rowe Mass Mar. 20. 1829 and died at Zoar Mass Dec. 21. 1903

His death was accidental while he and Mrs Brown were in the act of boarding a train at Zoar on the Boston + Maine road, they were struck by a west bound freight train and he instantly killed

Mr Brown was one of the most respected citizens of Rowe in the town in which he was born and lived nearly all his days

When a young man he went to Ogle County Ill. to take charge of a large farm.

At the breaking out of the civil war he returned to his native State and in the fall of 1862 enlisted into Company B. 52. Reg serving under General Banks in the Red River and Port-Hudson campaign.

Upon the expiration of his term he reinlisted as a member of the second Mass. light-artillery and took part ~~&~~ in the seige of Mobile. Still later he inlisted for the third time and served till the end of the war.

To this patriotic service in arms he added in the remaining years of his life an equaly devoted service as a citizen interested in all good causes an intelligent observer of national events independent and outspoken in his political actions. He served his town through many years in its various official positions with great fidelity

He was entrusted with many

business responsibilities in the settlement of estates and in other directions.

He was a ~~mo~~member of the Sanford G. A. R. Post of North Adams

His burial was at the Green River Cemetery Greenfield Mass

Leut L. B. Rice
C. B. Denison
U. T. Darling
Committee

Members present at Reunion 1891

	Names.	Residence.
Capt:	A. P. Nelson	Colrain Mass.
1st Lieut	L B Rice	East Charlemont Mass
1st Serg!	A A Smith	Colrain
Sergt	L. B. Moore	Elm Grove Mass
5	J Frank Brown	Rowe "
6	M. M. Fisk	Springfield "
7	C. A. Howard	Colerane "
8	J M J Legate	Sunderland "
9	J. H. Tower	Monroe
10	Lorenzo J Dunton	Colrain
11	Wm H Severance	Middleville Mich.
12	Simon S Rust	Leyden Mass.
13	Fred D. Clark	Colrain Mass
14	H W Thompson	" "
15	H M Peterson	" "
16	" J W [illegible]	
17	H. M. Temple	Heath Mass
18	N. F. Curtis	Leyden Mass.
19	Edward H. Leavitt.	E. Charlemont, Mass
20	G B Dennin	Colrain
21	Frederick W. Merriam	North Adams Mass.
22	Jas P. Robertson	New York City
23	J. W. Dugg	Orange Mass
24	J H Woods	N Dakota Ter
25	C H Purrington	Colraine M
26	Samuel C Severance	Leyden
27	Henry C Cromack	Colrain
28	George W. Adams	Charlemont
29	T. D. Thompson	Heath
30	Abraham Tanner	"
31	H M Howard	Coleraine
32	E. D. Hawks	Rowe
33	Charles Hamilton	Heath
34	James R. Miner	[illegible]
35	N. T. McCloud	Colrain
36	Otis W Reed	Norwich [illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
A. J. Keeling	Leyden	"
H. H. Cromhacke	Colrain	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible] Reed	[illegible]	"
[illegible]	S. Falls	"
[illegible]	[illegible]	
J. M. Carpenter Colerain		
[illegible]	[illegible]	
Geo. E. Wells	South Deerfield	Mass
A. J. Stebbins	Orange	"
[illegible]	Leyden	
J. Frank Brown	Rowe	
H. M. Peters	Colerain	
[illegible]	Warwick	
[illegible]	Colrain	
[illegible] Somerville Colerain Mass		
H. W. Thompson	Colerain	
[illegible]	"	
[illegible]	"	
A. S. [illegible]		
Charles Hamilton	Heath	
G. H. [illegible]	Dover Vt	
[illegible]	Coleraine	
[illegible]	East Charlemont	
[illegible] Thompson	Heath Mass	
[illegible]	West Gardner	

28 present

Members Present at Re-Union 1893

Capt.	A. P. Nelson	P. O. Address Greenfield Mass
	A. A. Smith "	Griswoldville "
	H. C. Cromack "	Elm Grove "
	Jas P. Robertson	626 W 39th St New York
	W H Temple	Waverly Iowa
	G W Thompson	Elm Grove
	Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls mass
	L B Moore	Elm Grove "
	C B Dennison	Coleraine Mass
	R. Wm Kinney	Orange Mass
	H M Temple	
	M. T. Darling	Leyden Mass.
	C. S. Stetson	Farley "
	Simon S Keet	Leyden "
	A D Thompson	Heath Mass
	Paul S Clark	Colerain Mass
	H M Peterson	Adamsville Mass
	Charles Hamilton	Dell Dell Mass
	L. E. Call	West Gardner "
	P. W. Carpenter	Elm Grove "
	A F Pennington	Shattuckville "
	G A Howard	Coleraine
	Geo W Adams	East Charlemont

23 present

Members Present at Reunion 1894

		P.O. Address
Capt:	A.P. Nelson	Greenfield Mass.
Lieut-	L. B. Rice	East Charlemont "
	A. A. Smith	Lyonsville "
	J. Frank Brown	Rowe "
	Jas. P. Robertson	626 West 39 St N.Y.
	Geo E. Coates	So. Deerfield Mass
	H. C. Cromack	Elm Grove Mass.
	L. E. Call	West Gardner "
	W. F. Towe	Monroe - Mass
	Charles Hamilton	Heath "
	Amos Temple	S. Falls "
	L B Moore	Elm Grove "
	H M Peterson	Adamsvill "
	R W Carpenter	Elm Grove "
	J W Rugg	Orange Mass
	Ebrahim Tanner	Heath Mass
	Simon S. Kent	Leyden Mass.
	Alvin Brown	234 [illegible] St Aurora Ill
	Henry M Temple	Heath Mass
	V. A. Pennington	Colerain
	Zenas J Dunton	Lyonsville
	Geo W Adams	East Charlemont
	Otis W Clark	Montague
	E. D. Hawks	Rowe.
	Joe Legate	Sunderland

26 present

Members present at [illegible] Reunion 1885

Names	P.O. Address
A. L. Mason	Colrain, Mass.
L. B. Rice	E. Charlemont "
Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls "
Capt. P. Robertson	626 W 39th St. New York
Abel L. Clark	Colrain Mass
H. C. Cromack	Colrain Mass
H. W. Thompson	" "
J. B. Rice	Charlemont Mass
J. W. Kings	Orange (Mass)
[illegible]	[illegible]
L. E. Cook	[illegible] Falls Mass
H. [illegible]	Colraine
B. Dennison	Colrain
J. M. Carpenter	" "
Charles Hamilton	
L. B. [illegible]	Colrain Mass
H. S. Fower	
[illegible]	[illegible] Mass
Zenas J. Dunton	Colrin
H M S Peterson	Colerain
L. E. Call	West Gardner
B. L. Reed	Leyden Mass.
A. A. Smith	Lyonsville "
Frank Brown	Rowe Mass.
R. D. Fish	Clifton Spa. N. Y.

24 present

Members present at Reunion in South Deerfield at the home of Geo. E. Coates 1896

	Names.	P.O. Address
Capt.	A. P. Nelson	Colrain Mass.
Lieut.	L. B. Rice	East Charlemont "
	A. A. Smith	Colrain
	Geo. P. Robertson	626 W 39th " N.Y.
	A. R. Robertson	Winooski Falls Vt. "
	H. C. Cromack	Colrain Mass
	G. B. Dennison	[illegible] Colrain Greenfield Mass
	Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls mass
	M. T. Darling	Leyden Mass.
	H. F. Purrington	Colrain "
	S. S. Keet	Leyden "
	H. W. Thompson	Colrain "
	Joel S. Clark	Adamsville
	" L. W. Carpenter	Elm Grove "
	H. M. Peterson	Adamsvill "
	John T. Williams	72 Lincoln st Holyoke
	Marcus M Fisk	42 John St Springfield
	Abraham Tanner	
	Geo. E. Coates	Main St. So. Deerfield
	Henry M Temple	Heath
	Henry T. Howard	Coleraine
	J. N. J. Legate	Sunderland
	L. B. Moore	Elm Grove
	Charles Hamilton	Dell
	W. H. Tower	Monroe

25 present

Members of Co "B" present at the Re Union held Sept. 10. 1877 [illegible] L. B. Rice Charlemont -

Names	P.O. Address
Capt. F. P. Mason	Greenfield Mass.
L B Rice	East Charlemont -
F. W. Thompson	Elm Grove
L. B. Moon	" "
D. Frank Brown	Rowe Mass
Abraham Tanner	Heath Mass.
J. M. [illegible]	[illegible] and
A. A. Smith	Lyonsville Mass.
V. T. Darling	Leyden "
C. B. Dennison	Greenfield " P.O. Box 64
Charles Hamilton	Heath Mass
George E. Coates	South Deerfield Mass 55-20 Mon
K. W. Rugg	[illegible] Mass
Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls Mass
Joel S Clark	Adamsvill
George W Adams	East Charlemont
[illegible] L. Reet	Leyden Mass,
Zenas J Dunton	Lyonsville Mass
Fredk W. Merriam	North Adams Mass
Henry C Gromack	Elm Grove Mass
J. D Thompson	Heath Mass
[illegible] Howard	Coleraine
H. M. Temple	Heath
W. T. Tower	Monroe
H. F. Purrington	Colrain Shattuckville P O
A. L. McCloud	Shattuckville Mass.
L. W Carpenter	Elm Grove "
G. W Adams	East Charlemont "
H M Peterson	Adamsvill
C. A. Howard	Coleraine
Geo. W. Adams	East Charlemont

Total number present 31

Members of Co. "D" present at the reunion held Aug. 26. 1878 with H. F. Purrington Shattuckville.

Names.	P.O. Address
L. B. Rice	East Charlemont
A. A. Smith	Lyonsville Mass.
C. B. Dennis –	Greenfield "
J. Frank Brown	Rowe "
J. [illegible] McCloud	Shattuckville "
M. F. Darling	Leyden
Geo. E. Coats	So Deerfield "
C. S. Stetson	Orange
S. S. Reed	E. Leyden
H. C. Cromack	Elm Grove Mass "
H. M. Howard	Griswoldville Mass
Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls Mass
V. P. Thompson	Heath Mass
J. M. J. Legate	Sunderland Mass
H. J. Thompson	Elm Grove Mass
J. W. Carpenter	" " "
H. M. Peterson	Adamsville
N. M. Fisk	Springfield Mass 42 John St
Joel [illegible]	Adamsville Mas
Jas. P. Robertson	626 West 39th St. New York
J. W. Rugg.	Colrain Mass
H. F. Purrington	Elm Grove
L. B. [illegible]	Elm Grove Mass
Henry C. Avery	S Falls "
Samuel [illegible]	Waterville Minn.
Zenas J. Dunton	Griswoldville
H. A. Howard	Coleraine
Geo W. Adams	East Charlemont

Total number present 28

Members of Co. B present at the Annual Reunion held at Roswell Robertsons West Leyden Aug. 31st 1899.

Name	P.O. Address.
L B Rice	East Charlemont —
J. Frank Brown	Rowe Mass.
S C Severance	Leyden
J L Clark	Adamsville
M. T. Darling	Leyden
C B Lesmiser	Greenfield
Amos Temple	Shelburn Falls
J. W. Ring	Colrain
H J Brandon	Greenfield
Geo E Coates	South Deerfield
H. C Cromack	Elm Grove
James H Davis	Millers Falls
C. R W Carpenter	Elm Grove
C S Stetson	Orange
S S Keet	Leyden
L. E. Call	Gardner
H M Howard	Colrain
L B Moore	Elm Grove
H F Purrington	Shattuckville
O W Thompson	Elm Grove
Zenas J Dunton	Griswoldville
V D Thompson	Heath
A A Smith	Lyonsville Mass.
A M Peterson	Adamsville
A R Robertson	Winooski Vt.
Jas P. Robertson	626 W 39 St. N.Y.
Fred'k W. Merriam	North Adams
H C Avery	S Falls

Total members present — 28

Members of Co. B 52d Reg't M.V.M who were present at the 13th annual Reunion held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass. Oct. 3d 1900

L B Rice	East Charlemont	
Joe L Clark	Adamsville	
V L Thompson	Heath	Mass
C S Stetson	Orange	"
H M Peterson	Adamsvill	"
C B Lyman	Colrain	"
H W Thompson	Colrain	"
Simeon S. Keet	Leyden	"
U. T. Darling	"	"
J. Frank Brown	Rowe	"
Geo E. Coates	So Deerfield	"
L B Moore	Elm Grove	"
D. W Carpenter	"	"
H. C Cromack	"	"
H. G Avery		
D W L Rugg	Elm Grove	
H F Purrington	Shattuckville	
Geo Legate	So Deerfield	
Henry M Horrance	Griswoldville	
Linus J Dunton	Lyonsville	
L A Smith	"	

Total members present 21.

Members of Co. B 52d Reg't M. V. M. at the Annual Reunion held in Memorial Hall Colrain Mass. Sept. 10th 1901.

Chas J. Stetson	Orange Mass
[illegible]	[illegible] "
Henry K. Howard	Colrain "
[illegible] H [illegible]	[illegible] "
H M Peterson	Lyonsvill ..
Joe Legate	Sunderland
Ira B Orr	Michigan City Ind
[illegible] Sumner	Stamford Vt
James [illegible]	Griswoldville Mass.
W. J. Robertson	626 West 37th St. N.Y.
L B. [illegible]	Elm Grove Mass
G. C. [illegible]	Leyden
[illegible]	Colrain Mass
W H Temple	Waverly, Bremer Co. Iowa
L B Rice	East Charlemont
A. A. Smith	Lyonsville Mass.
H K Rugg	Orange Mass
H C [illegible]	Elm Grove
Henry G. Avery	Shelburne Falls
John H Curtis	Colrain Mass.
A W Thompson	Elm Grove
M. L. Darling	Leyden Mass.
[illegible] D Clark	Adamsville
Simeon [illegible]	Leyden Mass,
L. E. Call	Gardner "
Henry A Howard	Colrain "

Total number present 26

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Members of Co [illegible] 52nd Regt Mass [illegible] at the annual Reunion held in [illegible] Hall Colrain Mass. Oct 15th 1902

[illegible] B Rice	East Charlemont
J. Frank Brown	Rowe Mass
[illegible] J. Clark	[illegible]
J. H. Carter	Colrain
S. S. Reed	Leyden Mass
[illegible]	Colrain
H P [illegible]	Shattuckville "
Geo [illegible]	East Charlemont
J. W. [illegible]	Orange [illegible]
E. [illegible] Wilson	[illegible]
H. C. [illegible]	[illegible]
Fredk W Harrison	North Adams, Mass
H M Peterson	Lyonsville
E. M. Howard	Griswoldville "
F. W. Carlton	Colrain
Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls "
[illegible]	Shattuckville
Geo E. [illegible]	[illegible] Mass
[illegible]	Colrain Mass
Wm. Watkins	Leyden Mass.
[illegible] B. [illegible]	Elm Grove Mass
[illegible]	Sunderland
[illegible]	Orange
E R Dennison	Colrain.
Warren [illegible]	Monroe or [illegible]
Arthur N Smith	Lyonsville Mass.

[illegible] 26

Members of Company "B" 52d Regt M.V.M.
Present at Annual Reunion held at Memorial Ha
Colrain Mass. Sept 3rd 1893

L B Rice	Charlemont —
C B Dennison	Colrain
Geo E. Coates	So Deerfield
H C Cromack	Elm Grove Mas
Frederick W. Merriam	North Adams,
J. Frank Brown	Rowe Mass.
Geo W Adams	East Charlemont
L. B. Moore	Elm Grove Mass
U. T. Darling	Leyden Mass,
Joel A Clark	Adamsvill Mass
Amos Temple	Shelburn Falls "
J F Thompson	Heath Mass
Dexter D. Wareley C. 31 Mass	Shelburne Falls "
Hosea F Purrington	Shattuckvill "
Henry A Howard	Colerain Mass.
Jas Legate	Sunderland Mass
J. A. Smith	Lyonsville Mass
J. W. King	Orange. Mass
H M Peterson	Lyonsvill Mass
J. W. Carpenter	Colerain "
C S Stetson	Orange "
G J Denton	Shuttuckville
J S Reed	Leyden. Mass,
H W Thompson	Colrain "
H M Howard	"
M M Fisk	42 John st Springfield Mass
Ira ~~F Orr~~	~~Michigan City Ind~~

26 members

Members of Co. B. 52d Regt. Mass present at Annual Reunion held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass. Sept. 7th 1904

Leonard B Rice	Charlemont	– mass
Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls	"
Arthur A Smith	Lyonsville	"
C B Dennison	Colrain	"
H. A. Howard	Colraine	Grnsw.
W. J. Darling	Leyden	"
L. W. Carpenter	Colrain	"
Simon S Keet	Leyden	"
Les S Kitson	Change	"
H C Cromack	Elm Grove	"
H W Thompson	" "	"
H M Patterson	Lyonsvill.	"
Geo E. Coates	So Deerfield	
Jas L Clark	Adamsville.	
Geo J Dunton	Shuttckville	
H F Purrington	" "	
Ira S. Orr	Michigan City	Indianna

17 members

Members of Co. B. present at the Annual Re Union held at the home of Hugh W Thompsons at Elm Grove Colrain Mass, Aug 25th 190

C B Dennison	Colrain
H. A. Howard	Colraine
Joel S. Clark	Adamsville
M. T. Daring	Leyden
Simon S. Reed	"
Levi E. Call	Gardner
Tyler P. Thompson	Haracheds. N.J.
Henry C. Cromack	Elm Grove
Joe F Legate	Charlemont
J. L. W. Carpenter	Elm Grove
J. J. Pugg	Orang Mass
H F Scammyth	Shattuckville
H W Thompson	Town
H M Peterson	Lyonsvill
P D Thompson	Heath Mass
L F Rice	East Charlemont
Arthur A. Smith	Lyonsville P.O.
	17 members

~~S C Lovesance~~
~~G T Williams~~

Members of Co. B. present at the Annual Re Union held at Memorial Hall Aug 30th 1906

A. A. Smith	Colrain
Jas. P. Robertson	250 West 88th St. New York
Chas. S. Stetson	Orange
M. T. Darling	Leyden
G. W. Thompson	Colrain
T. J. Thompson	Heath
Wm H. Severance	Middleville Michigan
Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls
Z. J. Dunton	Shattuckville mass
George E. Coates	South Deerfield mass
George W. Stebbins	East Charlemont
Chas B. Denison	Colrain Mass
J. Mc Rugg	Orange, mass
John T. W. Adams	Holyoke Mass
J. C. Severance	Leyden
Hy F. Gromack	Colrain
J. W. Carpenter	
H. F. Purrington	
Joseph. Legate	
G. B. Rice	Charlemont—
H. A. Howard	Colraine
H M Howard	"

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G. A. Howard	Colerain Mass
L. B. Rice	Charlemont "
Wm. J. Legate	" "
C. S. Stetson	Orange "
E. D. Hawks	" "
C B Dennin	Colrain "
H. F. Purrington	Colerain "
Geo E. Coates	South Deerfield "
Jas P. Robertson	250 W. 88th St. N.Y.
D. W. Kemp	Orange Mass
Amos Temple	Shelburn Falls Mass
H C Cromack	Elm Grove Mass
Lewis J Dunton	Shattuckville "
L W Carpenter	Colerain
Geo W Adams	East Charlemont
V D Thompson	Heath Mass
H W Thompson	Colrain

Total present 17

Colrain Sep 3rd 1908

C B Dennison	Colrain Mass
K C Farrington	"
H. W. Thompson	
Jas R. Robertson	251 West 88th St New York
Lenore Temple	Shelburne Falls
Fr C Cromack	Elm Grove
Severin Gel	
V D P Thompson	Heath
Geo E. Coates	South Deerfield Mass
J. H. Curtis	Colrain Mass
J. J. Dunton	Shattuckville
B. W. Carpenter	Colrain Mass
H. A. Howard	Colraine
J Wm Rugg	Orange Mass

Total present - 14

Sept 2 1909

1	S C Severance	Leyden
2	J. W. Kemp	Orange mss
3	H W Thompson	Colrain
4	E J Lanton	Colerain
5	Jas P Robertson	250 W 88 St. New York
6	S L Brown	Charlemont
7	A S Stetson	Orange
8	Horace F Pennyman	Colrain
9	Amos Semple	Shelburn Falls
10	Joe Legate	Charlemont
11	W D Thompson	Heath
12	H C Cromack	Colrain
13	F. H. Carpenter	
14	Geo E. Coates	South Deerfield Mass
15	C B Dennison	Colrain
16	H A Howard	" "

Total present - 16

Sept. 1, 19~~09~~10

1	C B Dennison	Colrain
2	H W Thompson	"
3	Jas P Robertson	New York
4	F C S Stetson	Orange
5	J W Kuzzy	Orange, mass
6	V J Thompson	Heath
7	L. E. Call	Gardner
8	Joe Legate	Charlemont
9	Zenas J Dunton	Colrain
10	D W Carpenter	" "
11	H C Cromack	" "
12	Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls

Total present - 12

Sept. 7th 1911

1	C. B. Dennison	Colrain	Mass
2	H. W. Thompson	Elm Grove	"
3	Jas P. Robertson	West Leyden	"
4	Geo. E. Coate	South Deerfield	"
5	Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls	"
6	Linas J. Dunton	Shattuckville	"
7	S. C. Lawrence	Leyden	"
8	C. S. Stetson	Orange	"
9	J. W. Rugg	Orange	"
10	J. W. Carpenter	Colrain	"
11	Joe Legate	Charlemont	"
12	H. C. Cromack	Colrain	"
13	V. D. Thompson	Heath	"
14	Levi E. Call	Gardner	"

Sep 6th 1912

1	C. B. Dennison	Colrain
2	C. S. Stetson	Orange
3	J. W. Carpenter	Colrain
4	Amos Temple	Shelburne Fall
5	Joe Legate	Copeland Place Roxbury
6	H. W. Thompson	Colrain
7	Levi E Call	Gardner
8	V. D. Thompson	Heath
9	Jas P. Robertson	West Leyden
10	Geo E. Coate	South Deerfiel
11	J. W. Rugg	Orange
12	H. C. Cromack	Colrain

Memembers of Co. B.
present at the Anonual Reunion
held at Memorial Hall Colrain
Sept. 4th 1913

1 J. W. Carpenter Colrain
2 Jas. P. Robertson West Leyden
3 C. B. Denison Colrain
4 H. W. Thompson "
5. Geo E. Coats South Deerfield
6 M. M. Fisk Springfield
7 C. S. Stetson Orange
8 L. E. Call Gardner
9 Zenas J. Dunton Shattuckville
10 V. D. Thompson Heath
11 Amos Temple Shelburne Falls
12 H. C. Cromack Colrain

1 ~~Amos Temple Shelburne Falls~~
2 ~~Charles S. Stetson Orange Mass~~
3 ~~Levi E. Call Colrain Mass~~
4 ~~V. D. Thompson Heath Mass~~
5. ~~Z. J. Dunton Shattuckville "~~
6 ~~Joe M. Legate 11 Copeland Place Roxbury Mass~~
7 ~~Geo E. Coats South Deerfield Mass~~
8 H. C. Cromack Colrain Mass

Sept 3d 1914

1	James F. Robertson	Leyden
2	Zenas J. Dunton	Colrain
3	Amos Temple	Shelburne Falls
4	Henry C Cromack	Colrain
5	V. D. Thompson	Heath
6	Levi E. Call	Colrain
7	Geo E. Coats	South Deerfield

Sep 9th 1915
Members of Co. B. present at the Annual reunion held at Memorial Hall Colrain

1 Amos Temple Shelburne Falls Mass
2 Charles S. Stetson Orange "
3 Levi E Call Colrain "
4 V. D. Thompson Heath "
5 Z J. Dunton Colrain "
6 Joe M Legate 11 Copeland Place Roxbury Mass
7 Geo E Coats South Deerfield Mass
8 H. C. Cromack Colrain "

Sept 1st 1916

1	Geo E. Coats	So. Deerfield
2	V. D. Thompson	Heath
3	C. S. Stetson	Orange
4	L. E. Call	Colrain
5	J. P. Robertson	Guilford Vt
6	Henry Cromack	Colrain
7	Zenas Dunton	"

Members of Co. B. present at the Annual Reunion of Co. B. held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass Sep 6. 1917

1 Amos Temple Shelburne Falls Mass
2 Charles S. Stetson Orange "
3 Zenas S. Dunton Colrain "
4 Henry C Cromack " "
5 Joe Segate 11 Copeland Pl. Roxbury "
6 Geo E. Coats South Deerfield "
7 V. D. Thompson Heath "
8 James P. Robertson Guilford Center Vt

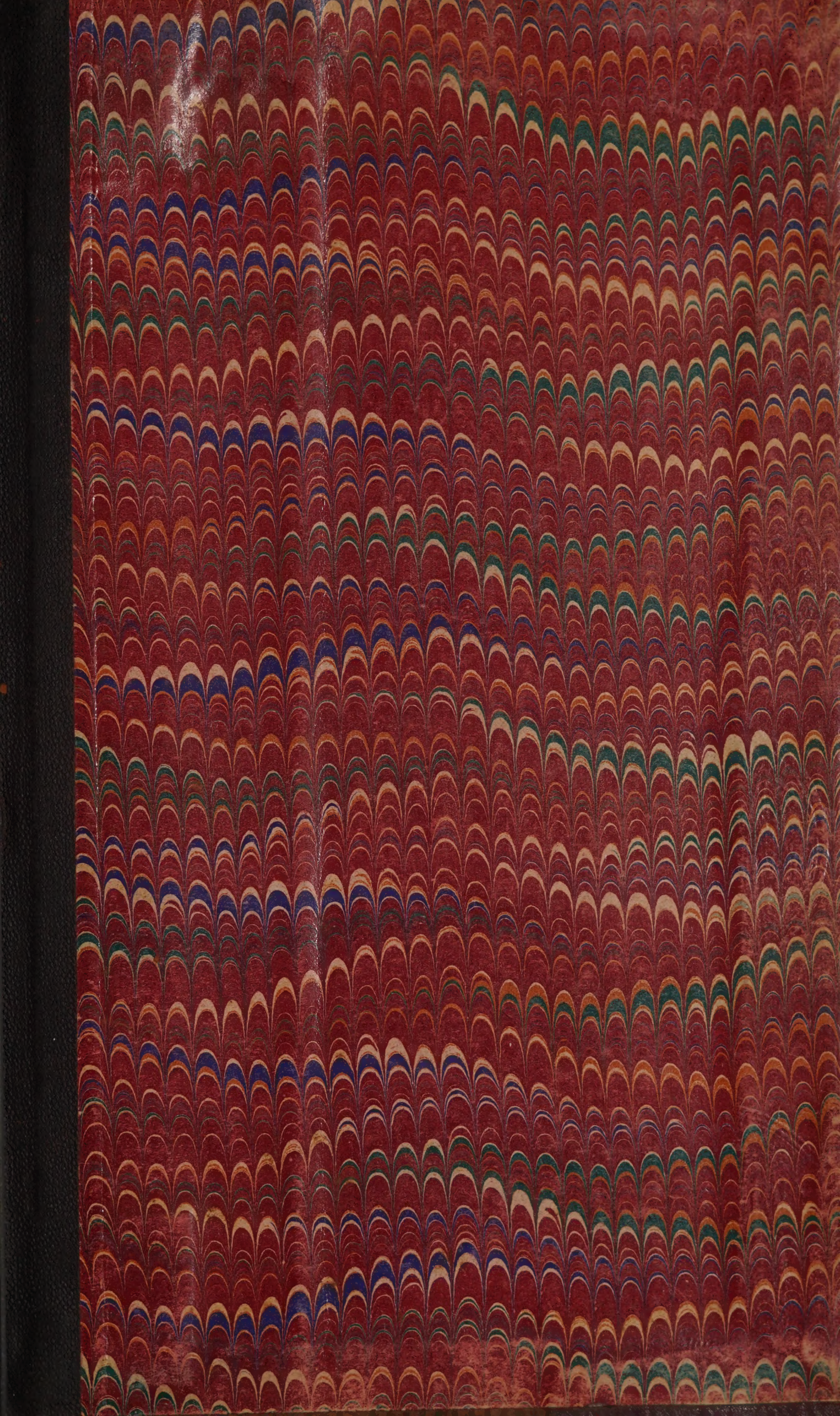
Members of Co. B. present at the Annual Reunion held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass Sept. 5 1918

1. James P. Robertson Guilford Center Vt.
2. Amos Temple Shelburne Falls Mass
3. V. D. Thompson Heath Mass
4. C. S. Stetson Orange Mass
5. H. C. Cromack Colrain Mass
6. Geo. E. Coats South Deerfield Mass.

Members of Co. B. present at the 32 annual reunion held at Memorial Hall Colrain Mass Sept 4th 1919

1 V. D. Thompson Heath Mass
2 C. S. Stetson Orange "
3 E. D. Hawks
4 Geo E. Coats South Deerfield "
5 Amos Temple Bardwells Ferry Mass

1 Geo Temple Bardwells Ferry
2 Geo E Coats So Deerfield Mass
3 H. C. Cromack Colrain
4 V. D. Thompson Heath - Mass

Griswold Memorial Library
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